

The Quest for the Origin of the Proton's Sea

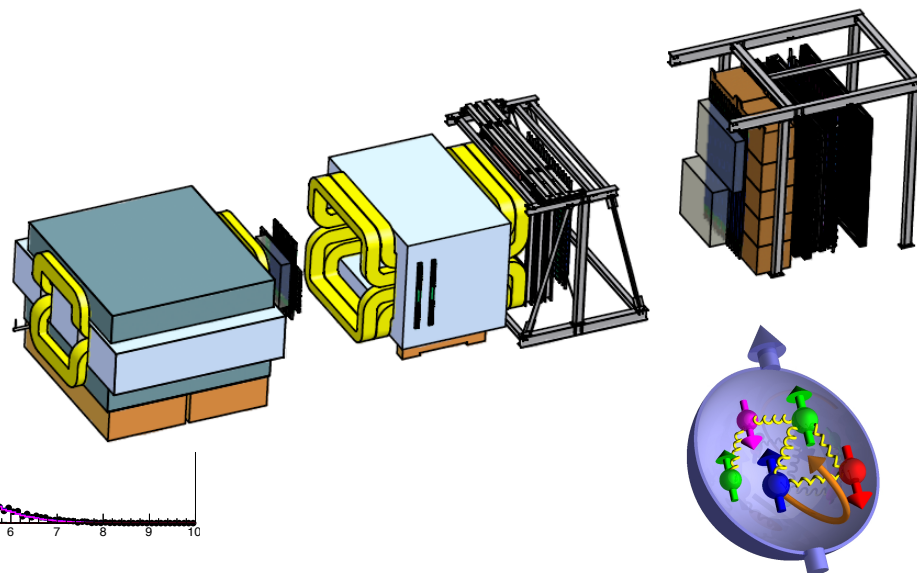
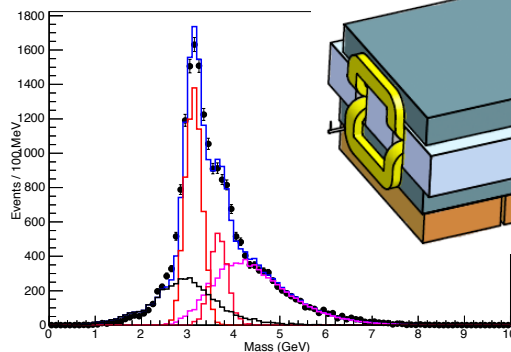
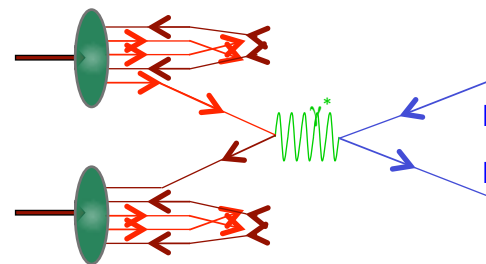
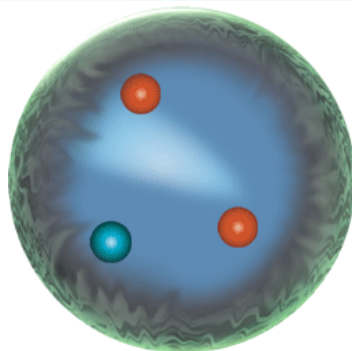
SeaQuest and SeaTEQ

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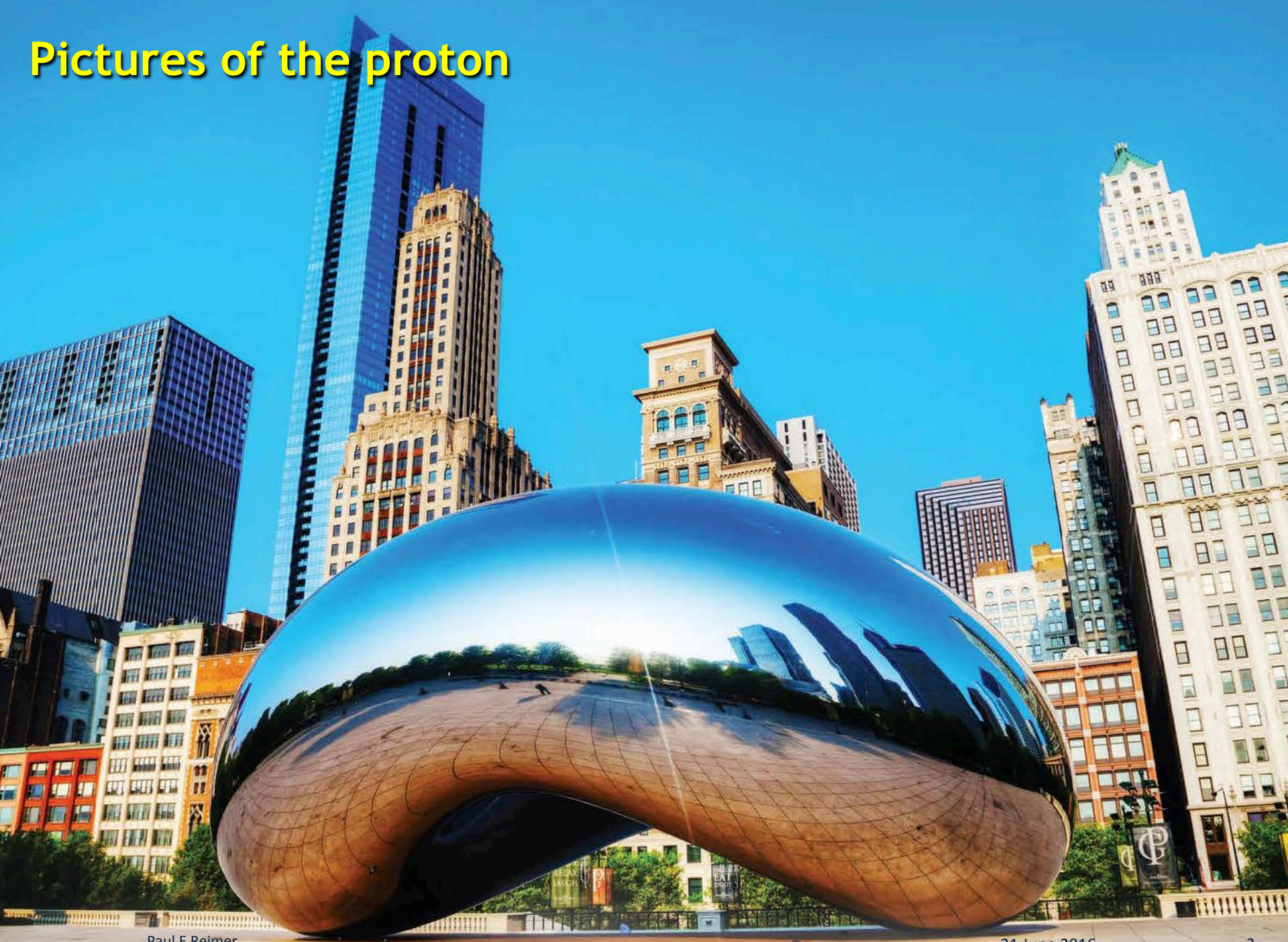
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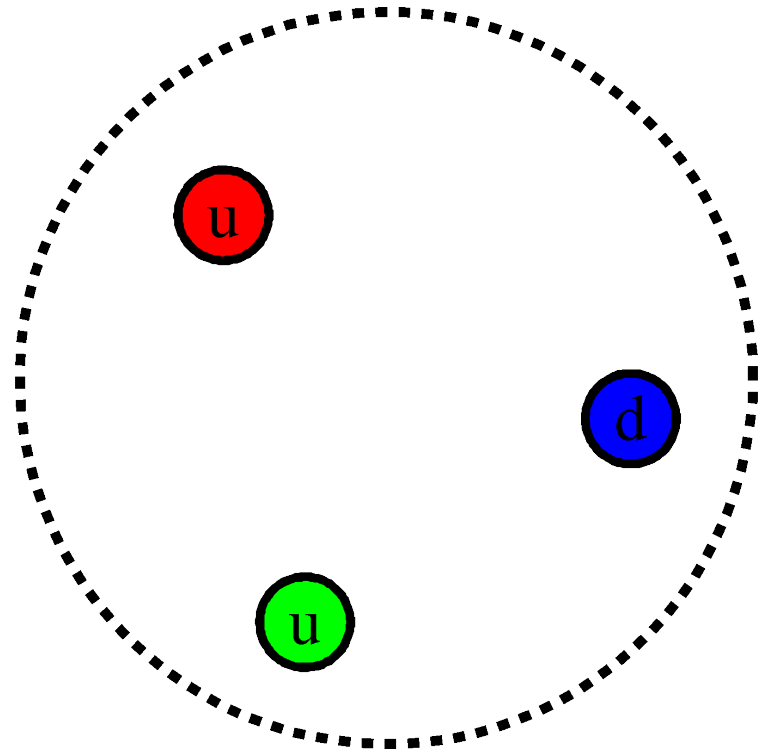
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Pictures of the proton



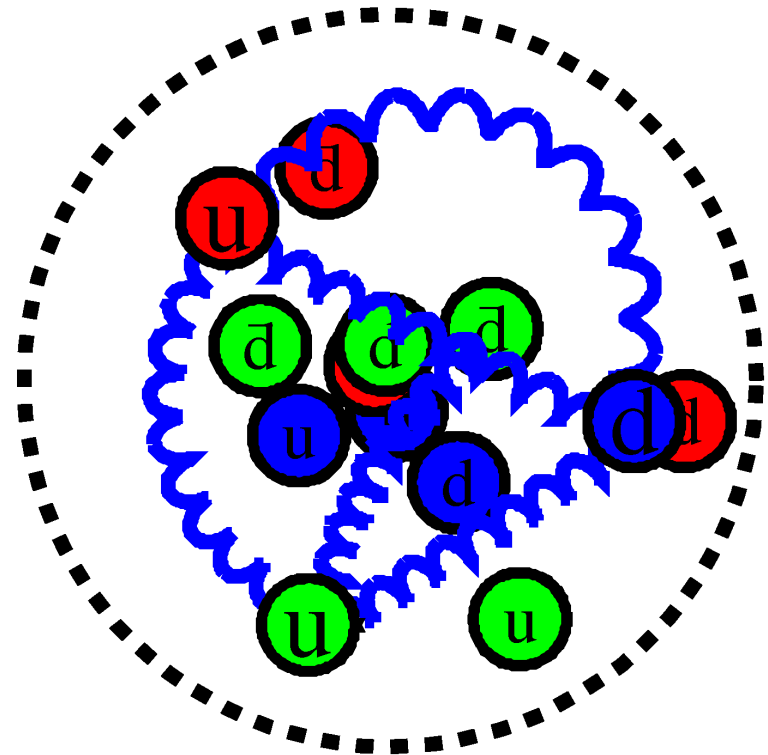
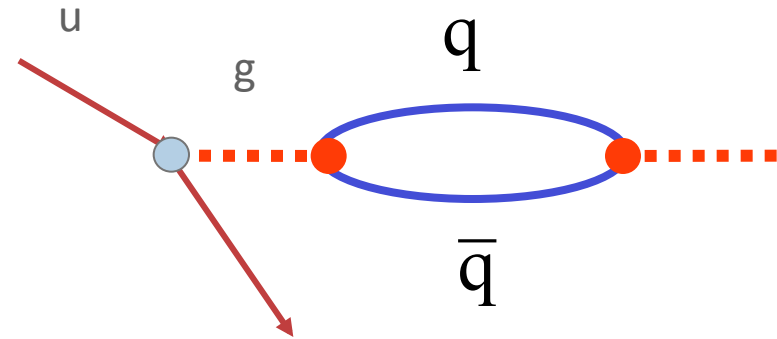
First picture of the proton: Valence quarks

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Second Picture: Dynamics

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Sea is a fundamental part of the proton

Parton distributions for high energy collisions

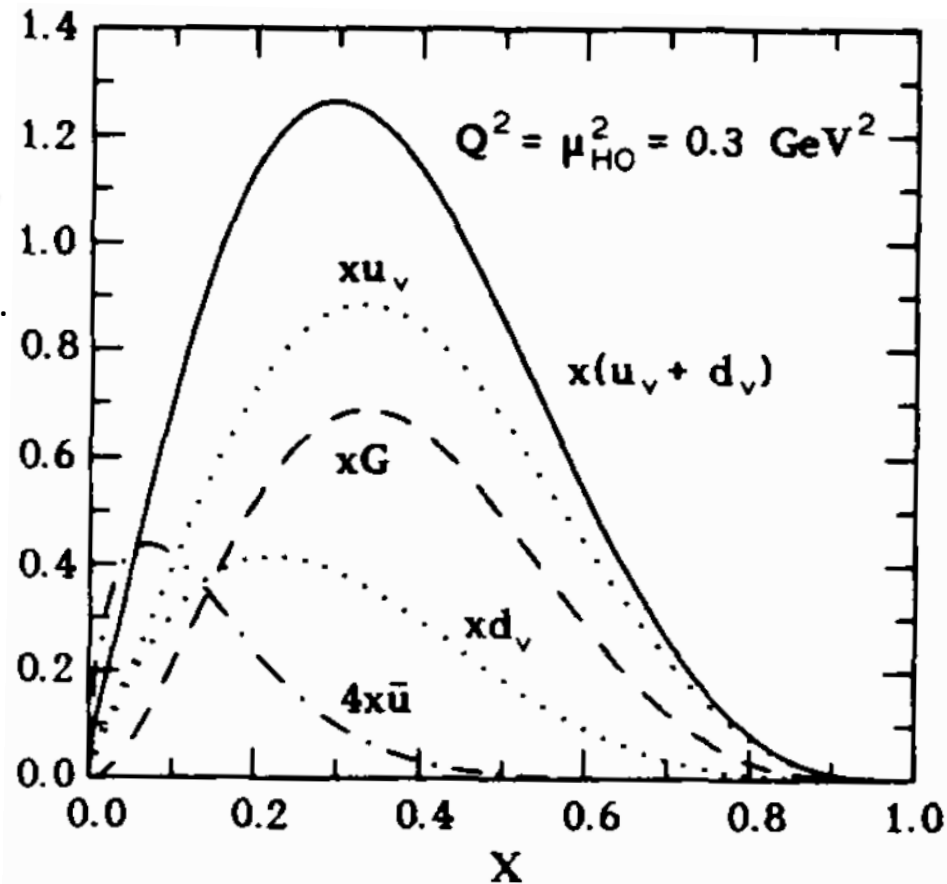
M. Glück, E. Reya, A. Vogt

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Abstract. Recent data from deep inelastic scattering experiments at $x > 10^{-2}$ are used to fix the parton distributions down to $x = 10^{-4}$ and $Q^2 = 0.3 \text{ GeV}^2$. **The predicted extrapolations are uniquely determined by the requirement of a *valence-like* structure of *all* parton distributions at some low resolution scale**

Glück, Reya, Vogt, ZPC 53, 127 (1992)



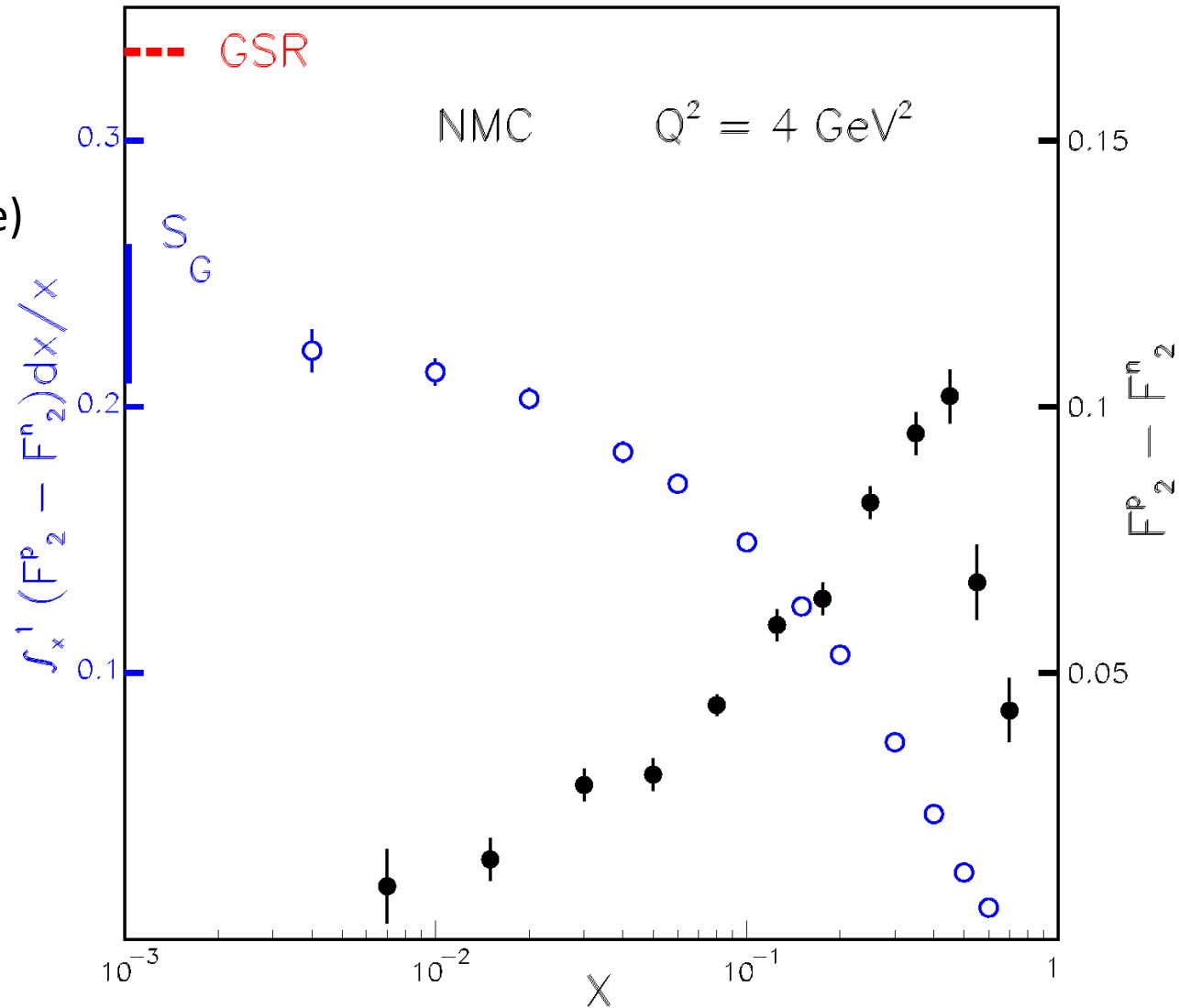
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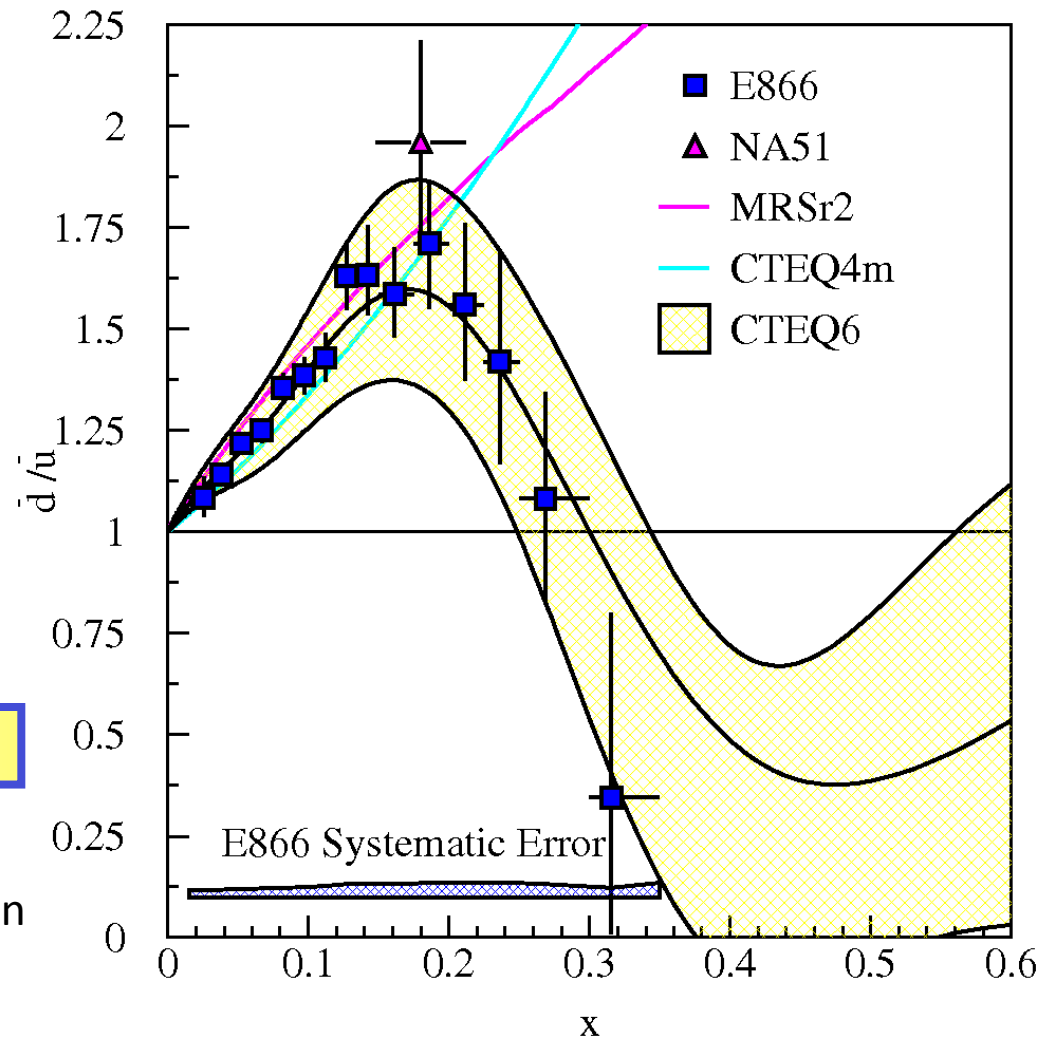
$$\bar{d} > \bar{u} \text{ at } x = 0.18$$

- E866/NuSea (Drell-Yan)

$$\bar{d}(x)/\bar{u}(x) \text{ for } 0.015 \leq x \leq 0.35$$

- Knowledge of sea dist. are data driven

- Non perturbative QCD models can explain excess d-bar quarks, but not return to symmetry or deficit of d-bar quarks



Proton Structure: By What Process Is the Sea Created?

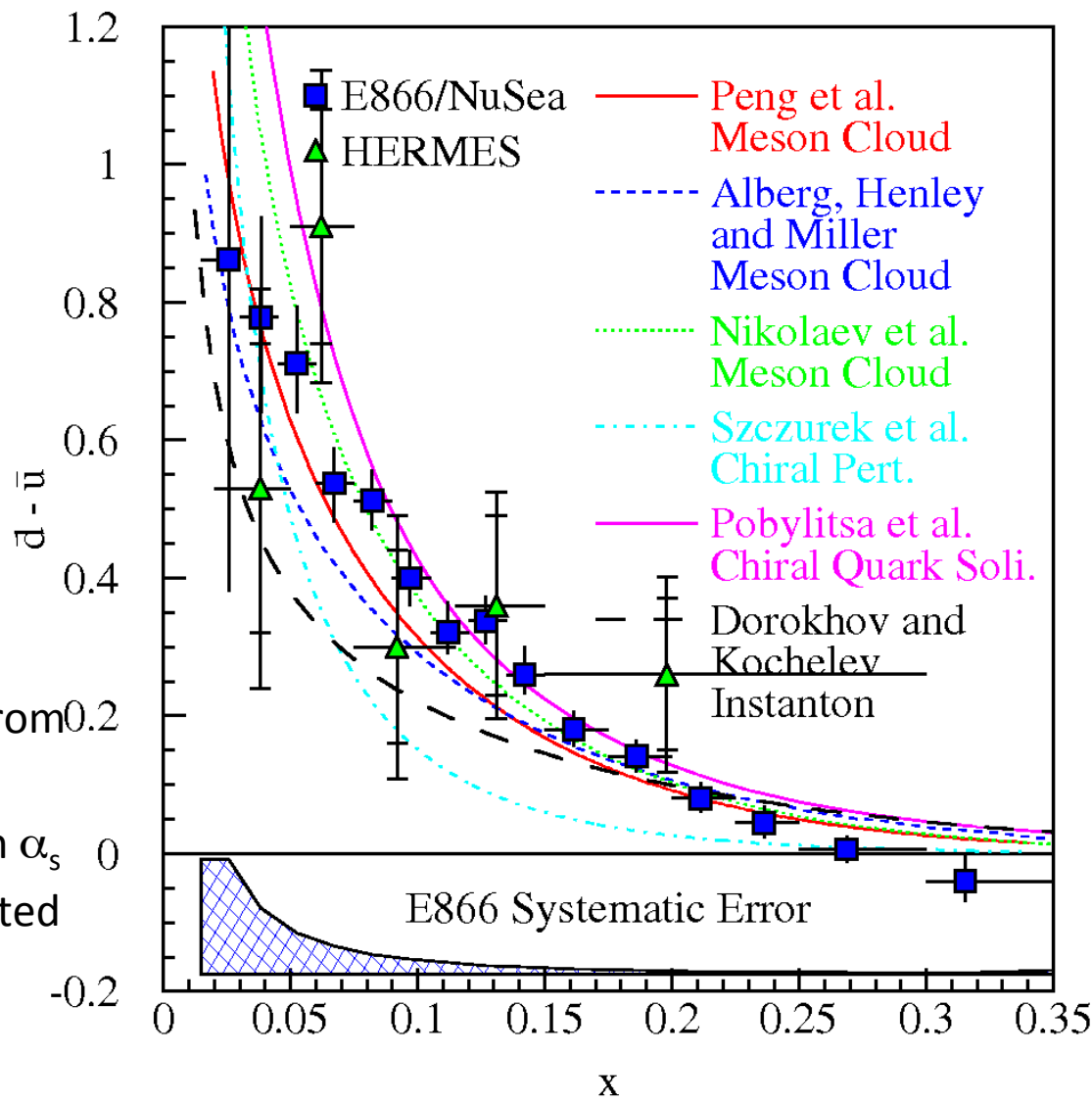
- There is a gluon splitting component which is symmetric

$$\bar{d}(x) = \bar{d}_{pQCD}(x) + \bar{d}_{\pi}(x)$$

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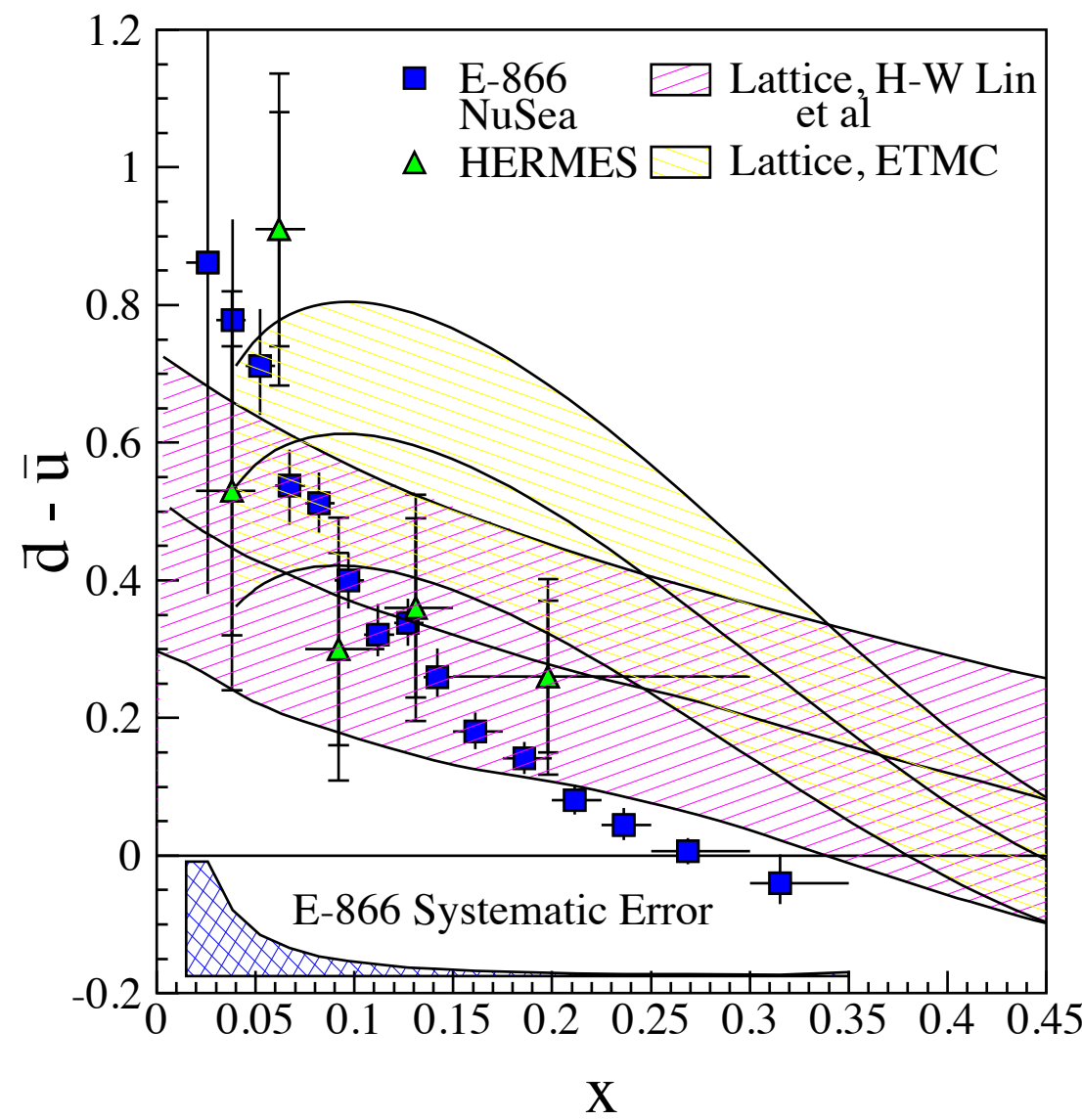
$$\begin{aligned} \bar{q}_{pQCD}(x) &= \bar{d}_{pQCD}(x) \\ &= \bar{u}_{pQCD}(x) \end{aligned}$$

- $\bar{d}(x) - \bar{u}(x)$
 - Symmetric sea via pair production from gluons subtracts away
 - No Gluon contribution at 1st order in α_s
 - Nonperturbative models are motivated by the observed difference



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- Lattice weighs in!!



Sea Quark EMC Effect

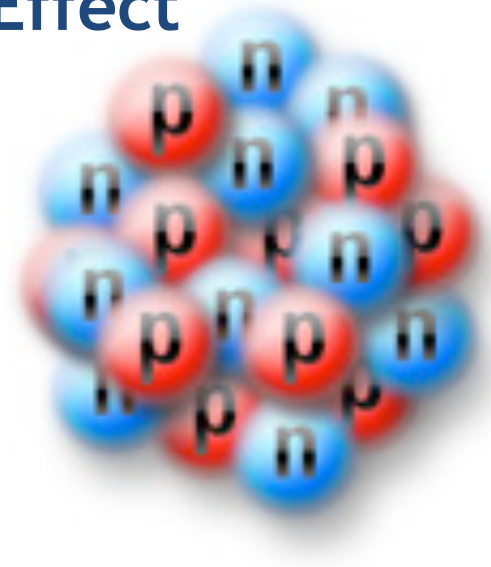


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The European Muon Collaboration (EMC) Effect

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- Is there a difference between hitting a proton in a nucleus and a free proton?
- Hard scattering makes an implicit assumption that the interaction is energetic enough so that the binding of quarks in a proton is small so surely, the binding of protons in the nucleus is also small?
- Do the quarks change configuration?



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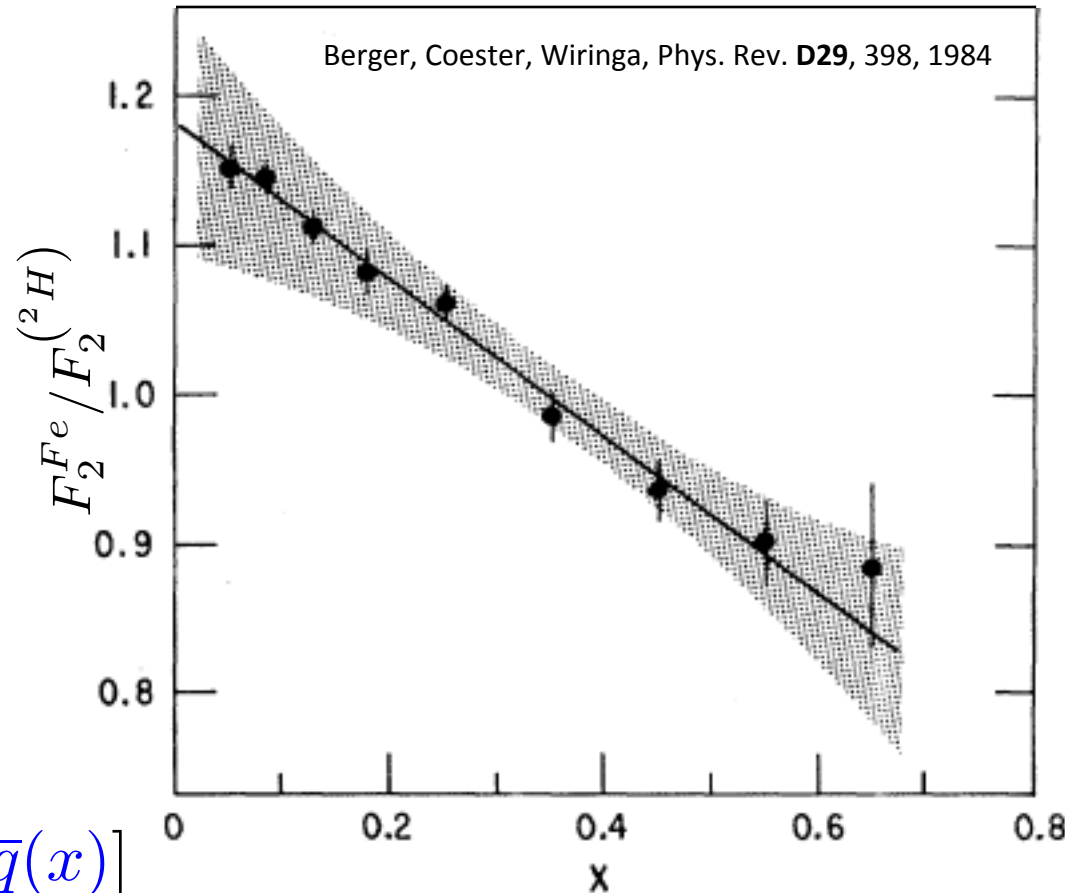
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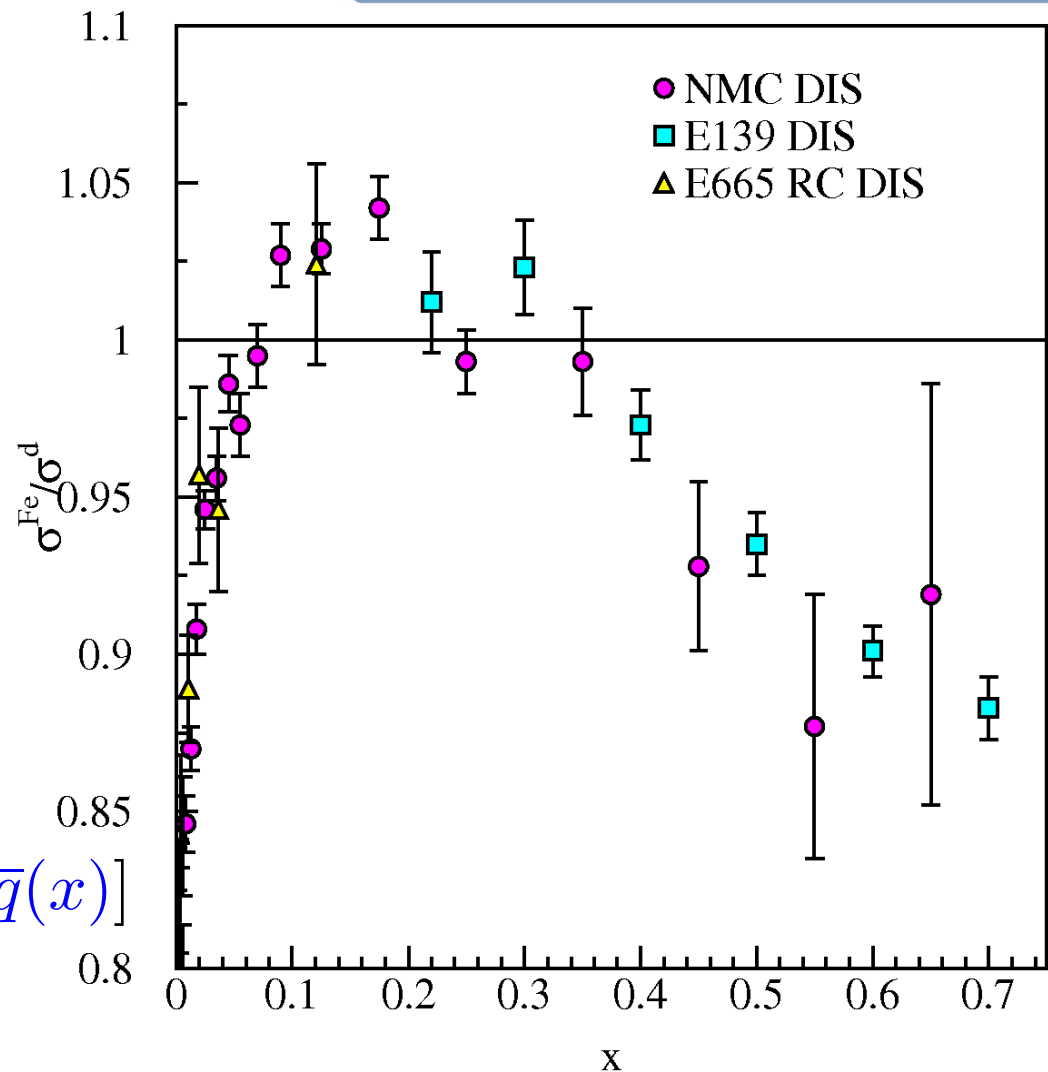
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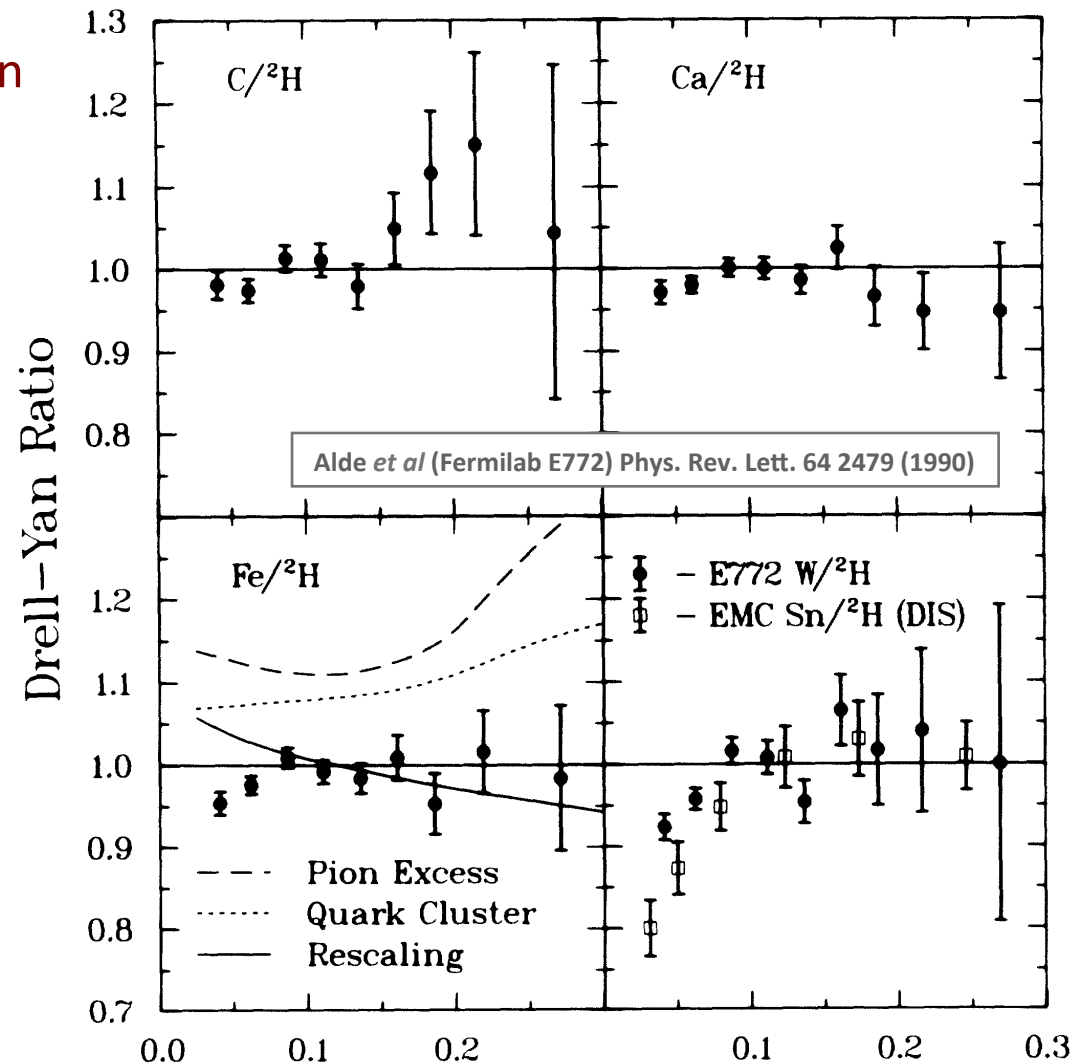
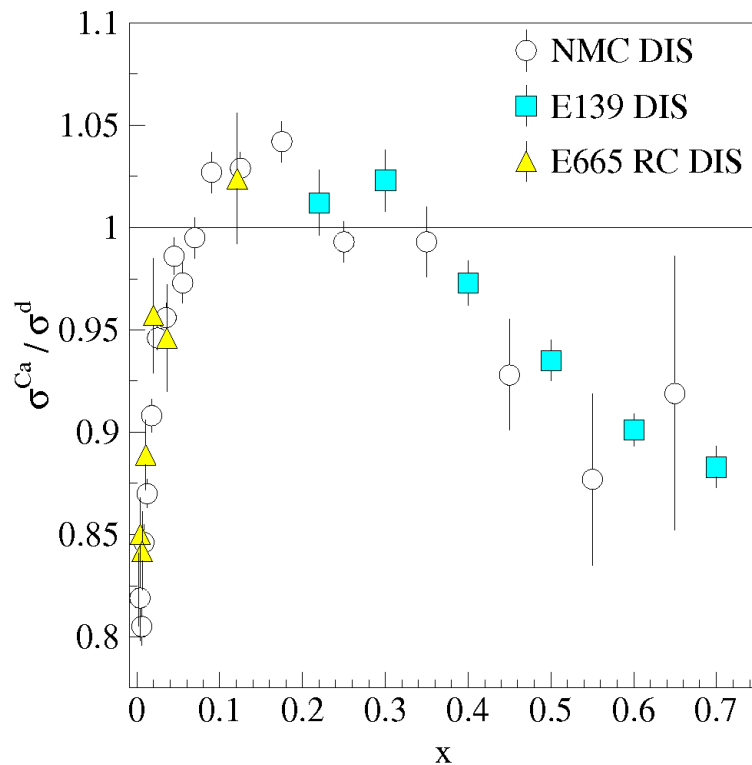


Do quarks and antiquarks experience the same modifications?

Structure of nucleonic matter:

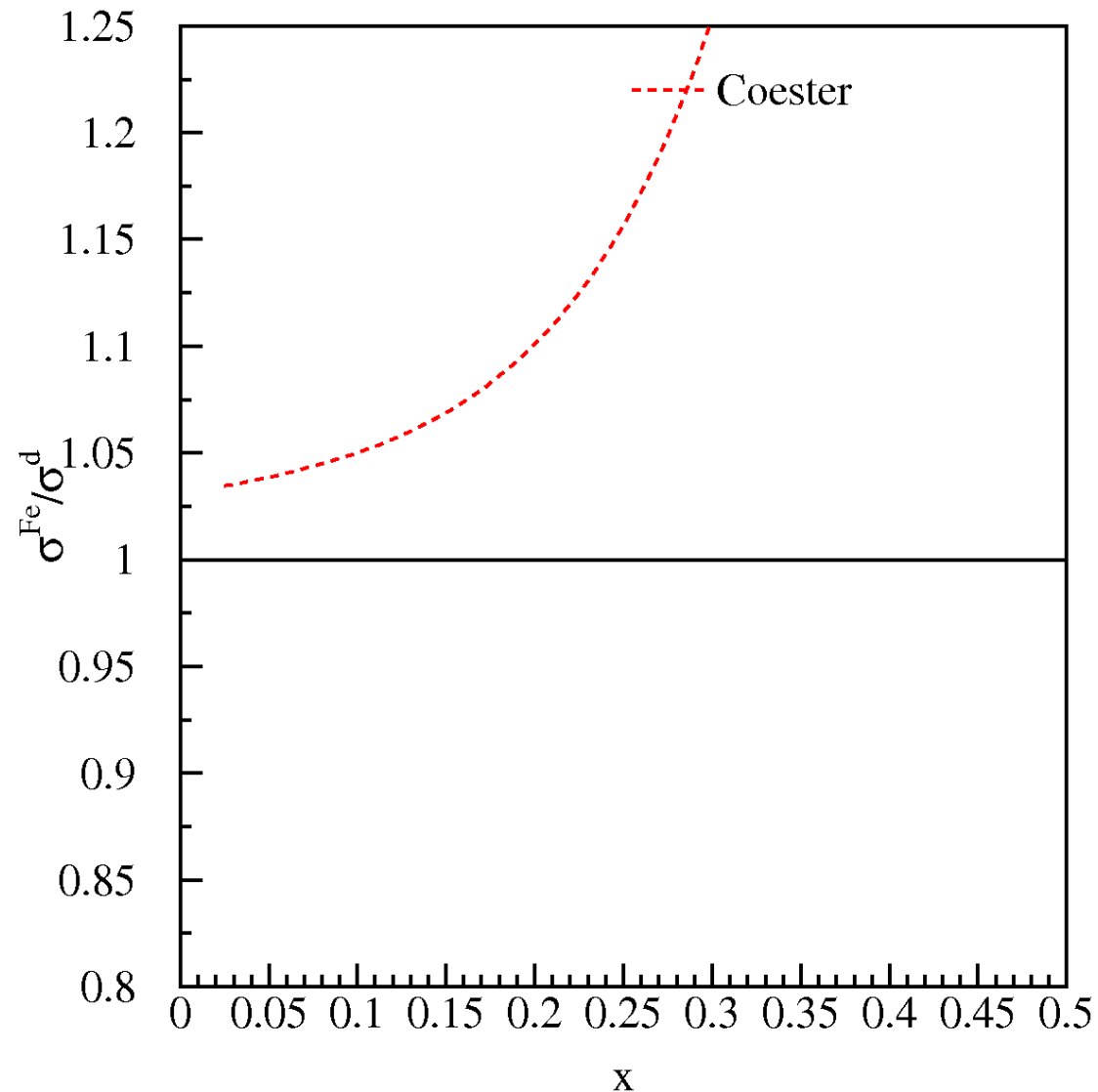
How do DIS and Drell-Yan data compare?

- Shadowing present in Drell-Yan
- Antishadowing not seen in Drell-Yan
- Valence only effect



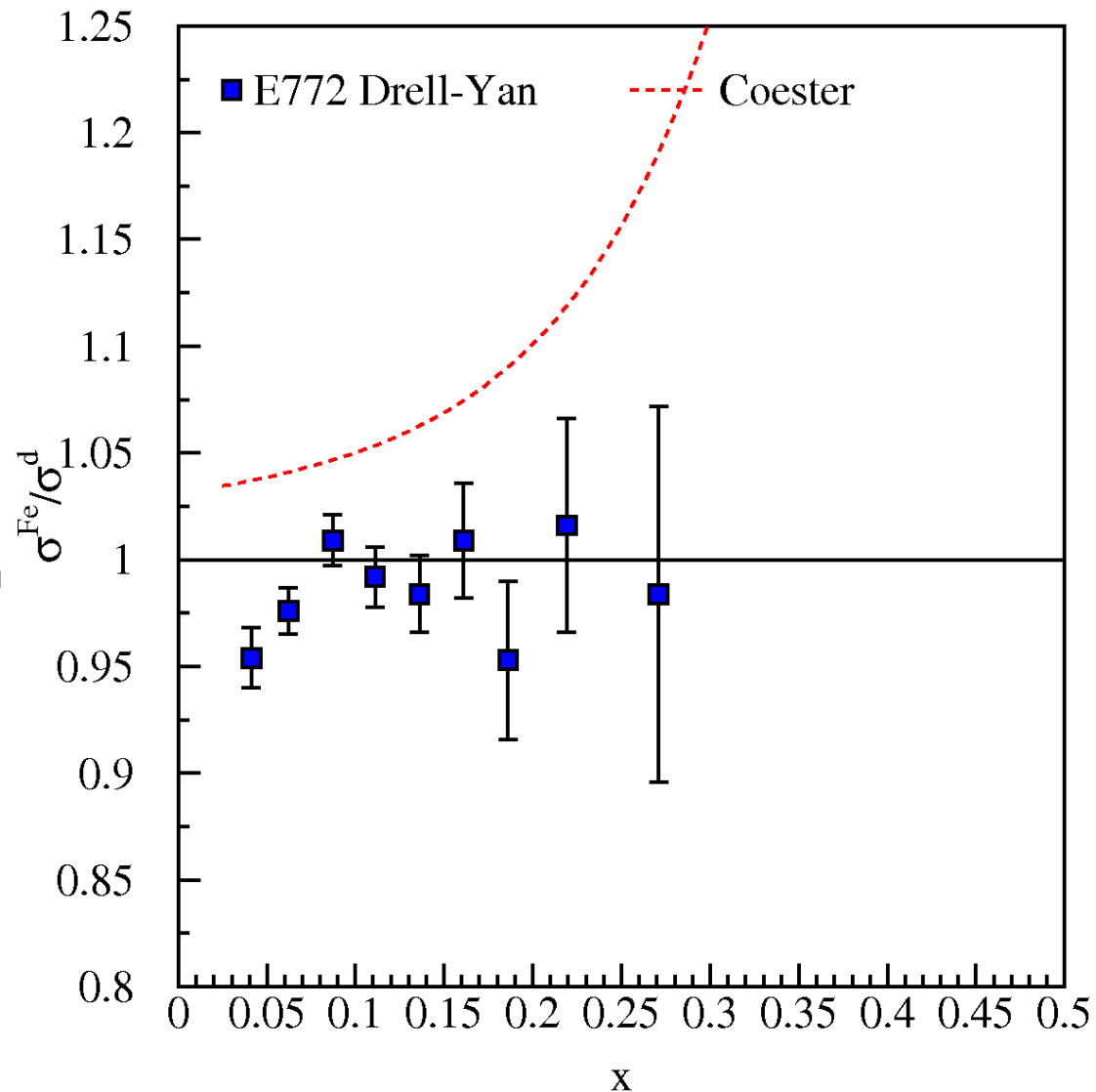
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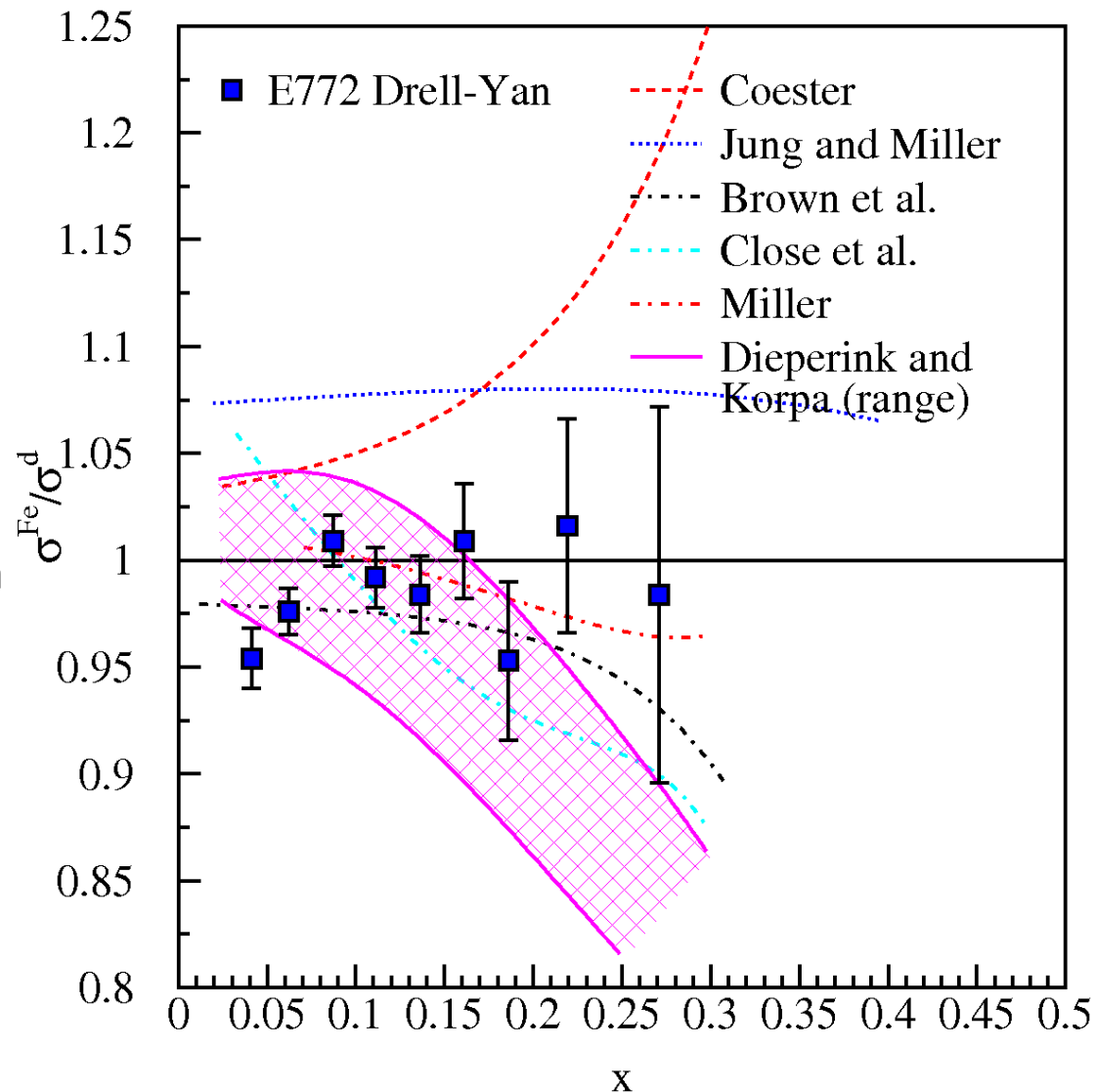
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- Contemporary models predict large effects to antiquark distributions as x increases.
- **Models must explain both DIS-EMC effect and Drell-Yan**



Exploring the Sea



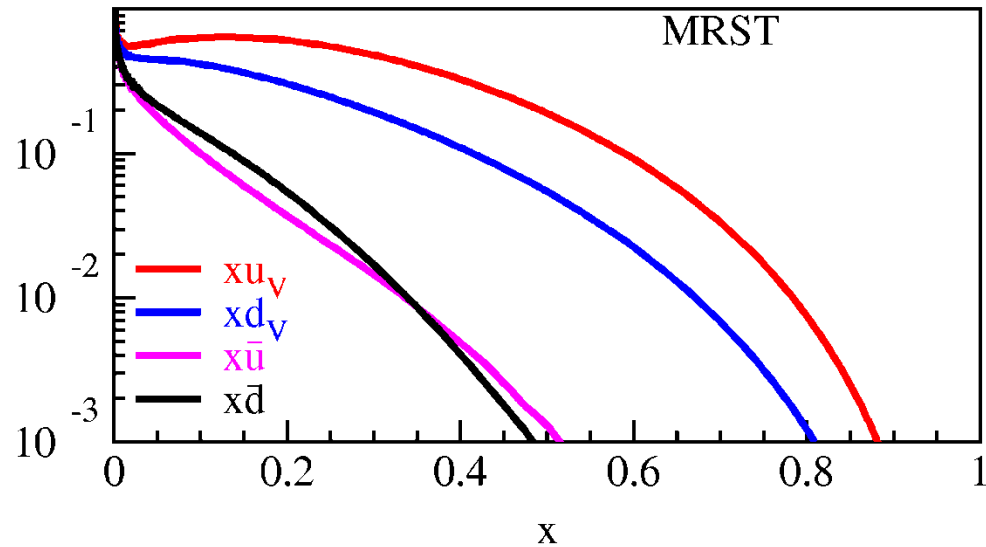
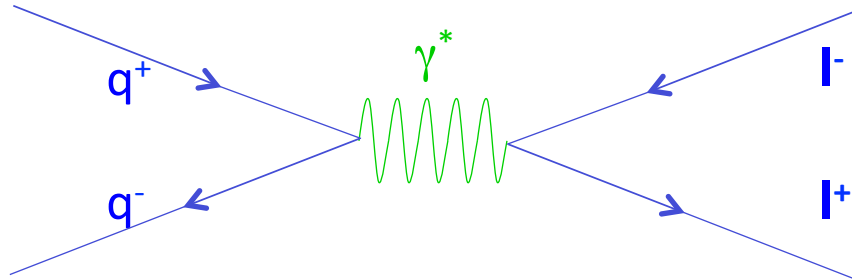
How can we measure the sea distributions?

Need a process that can isolate sea contributions:

- SIDIS
$$N^{\pi^\pm} \propto \sum_{q \in \{u, d, \dots\}} \left[q(x, Q^2) D^{\pi^\pm} + \bar{q}(x, Q^2) D^{\pi^\pm} \right]$$
 - Low statistics
 - K/ π identification
 - Knowledge of fragmentation functions (D^π)
 - HERMES, COMPASS, JLab 12 GeV
- Collider W production
$$A_W(y) \propto \frac{u(x_1)\bar{d}(x_2) - d(x_1)\bar{u}(x_2)}{u(x_1)\bar{d}(x_2) + d(x_1)\bar{u}(x_2)}$$
 - Fermilab Tevatron, CERN LHC
- Drell-Yan
 - Rest of this talk

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_1 dx_2} \propto \sum_{q \in \{u, d, \dots\}} e_q^2 [q(x_1)\bar{q}(x_2) + \bar{q}(x_1)q(x_2)]$$

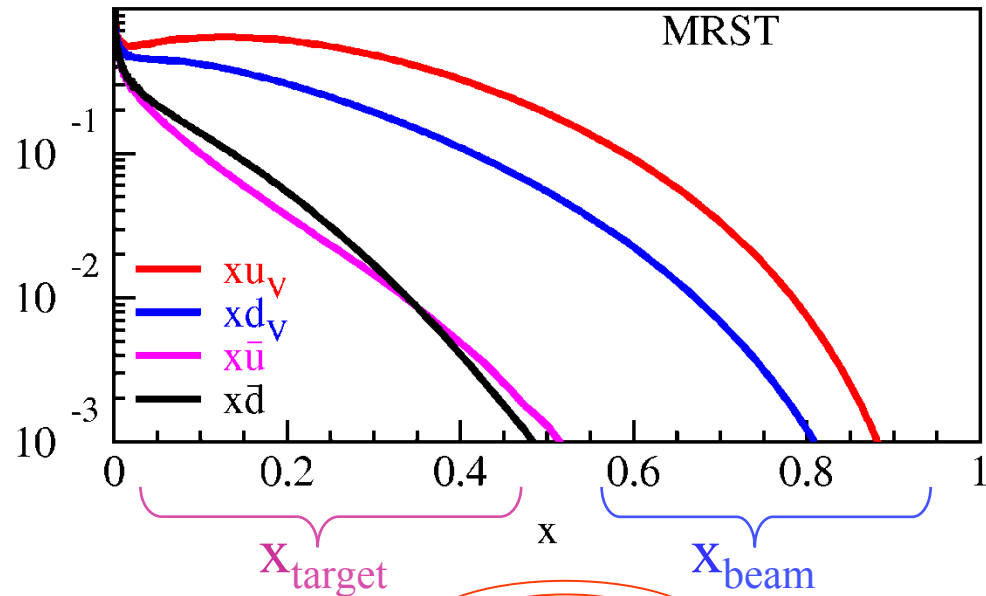
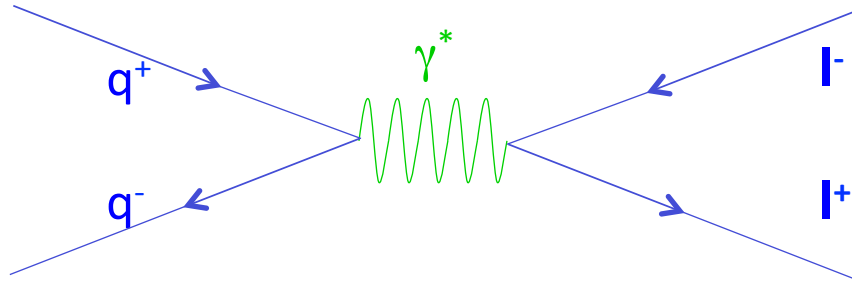
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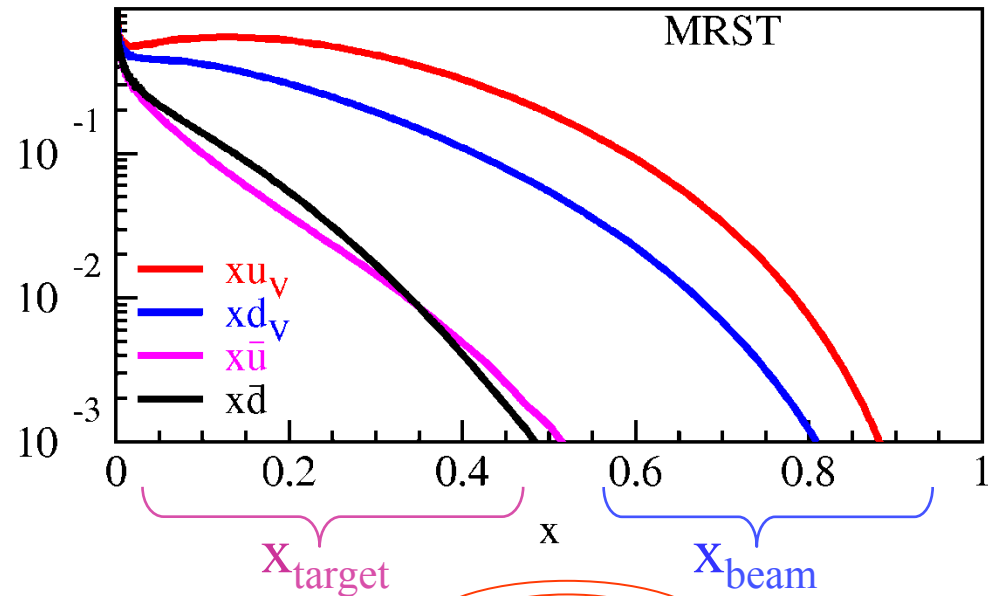
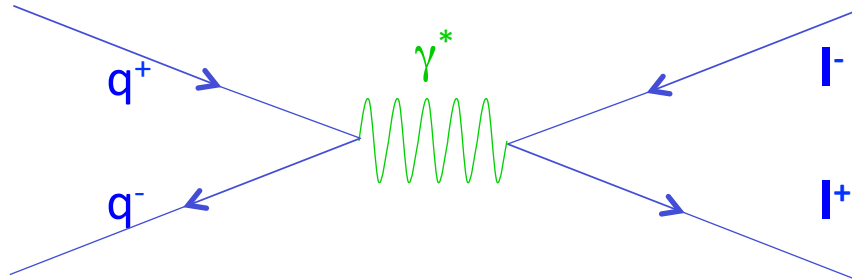
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(Fixed Target, Hadron Beam)

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(2/3)² vs. (1/3)²

| Beam | Sensitivity | Experiment |
|-------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Hadron | Beam quarks target antiquarks | Fermilab, J-PARC RHIC (forward acpt.) |
| Anti-Hadron | Beam antiquarks Target quarks | J-PARC, GSI-FAIR Fermilab Collider |
| Meson | Beam antiquarks Target quarks | COMPASS, J-PARC |

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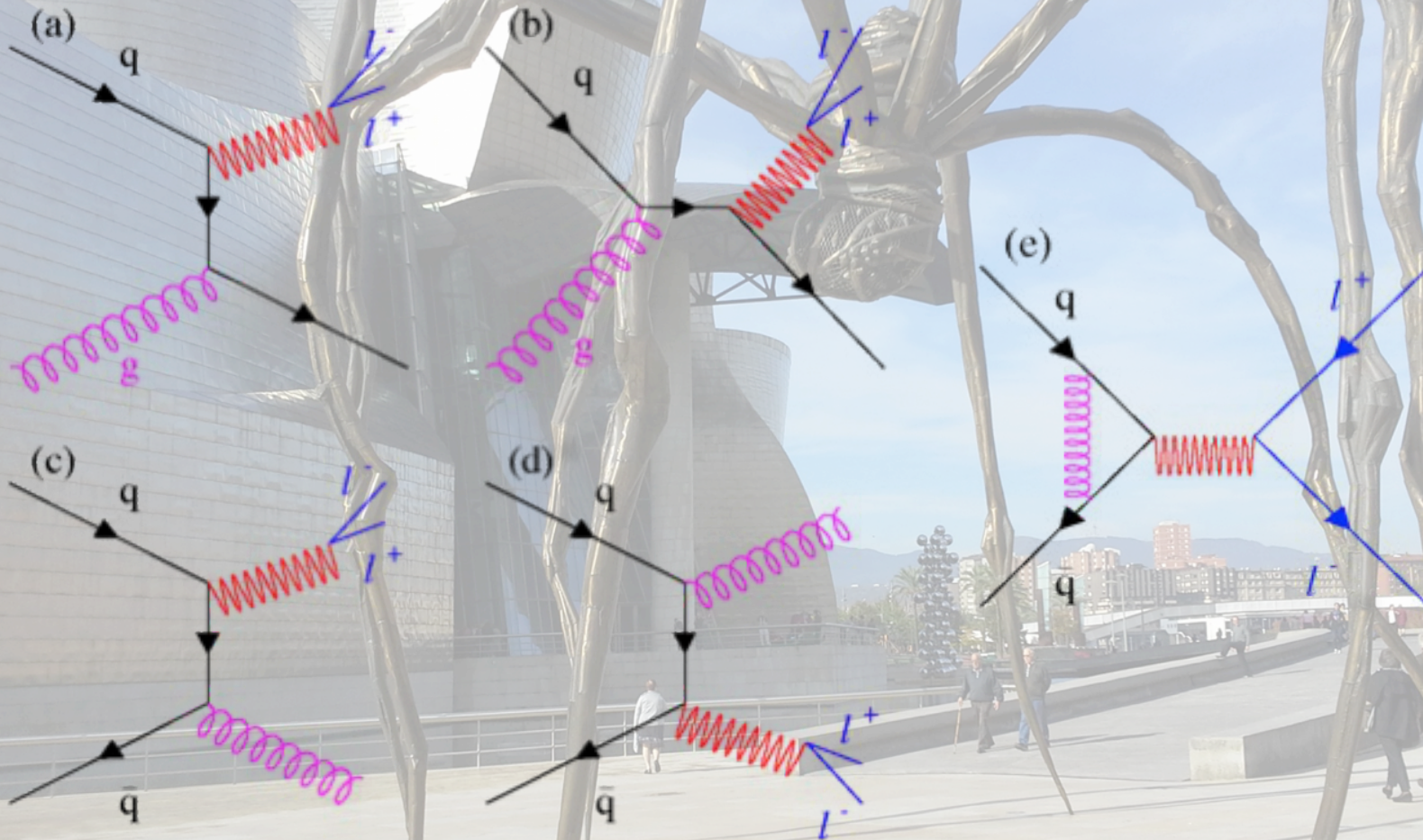
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$$\frac{\sigma^{pd}}{2\sigma^{pp}} = \frac{1}{2} \left[1 + \frac{\bar{d}(x)}{\bar{u}(x)} \right]$$

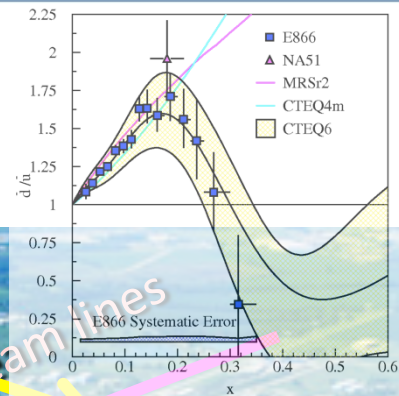
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Drell-Yan Cross Section—Next-to-leading order α_s

- These diagrams are responsible for approximately 50% of the measured cross section



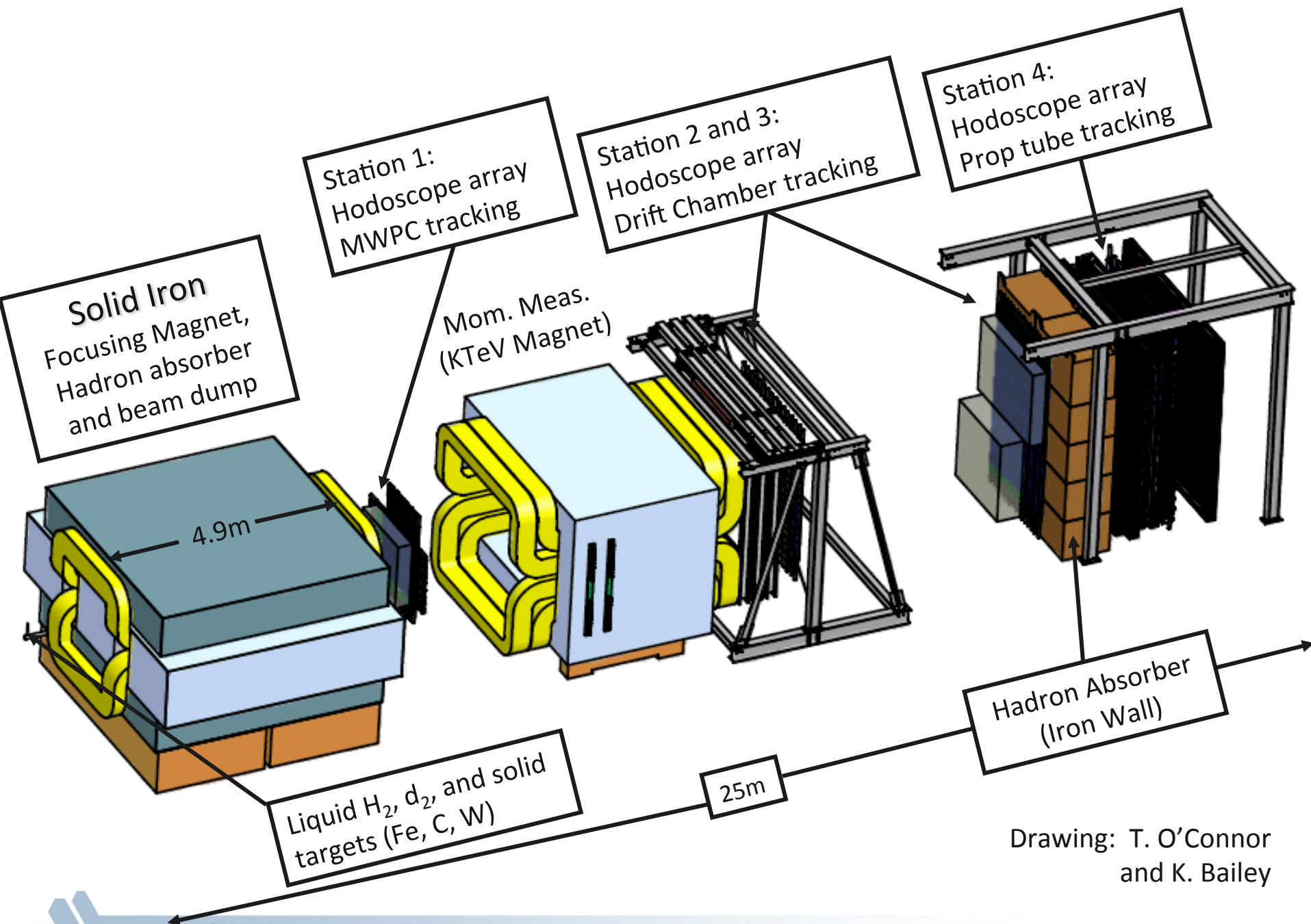
SeaQuest Experiment



Fixed Target Beamlines

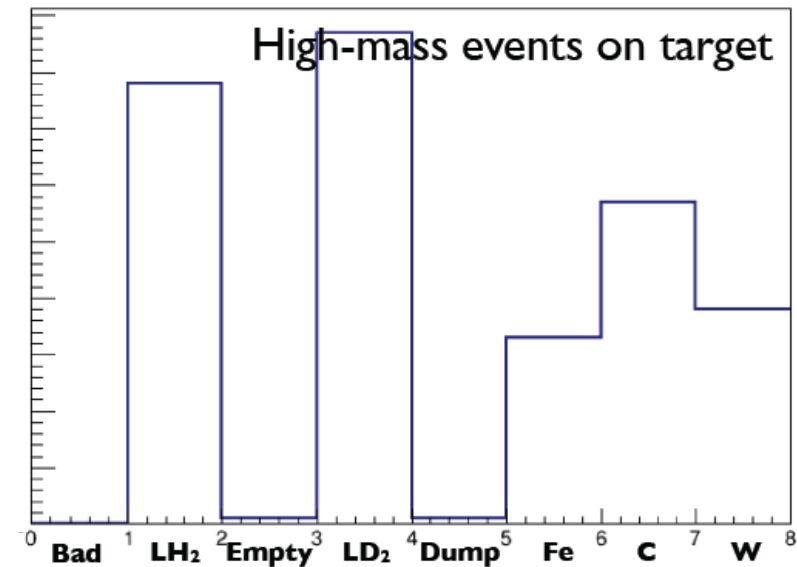
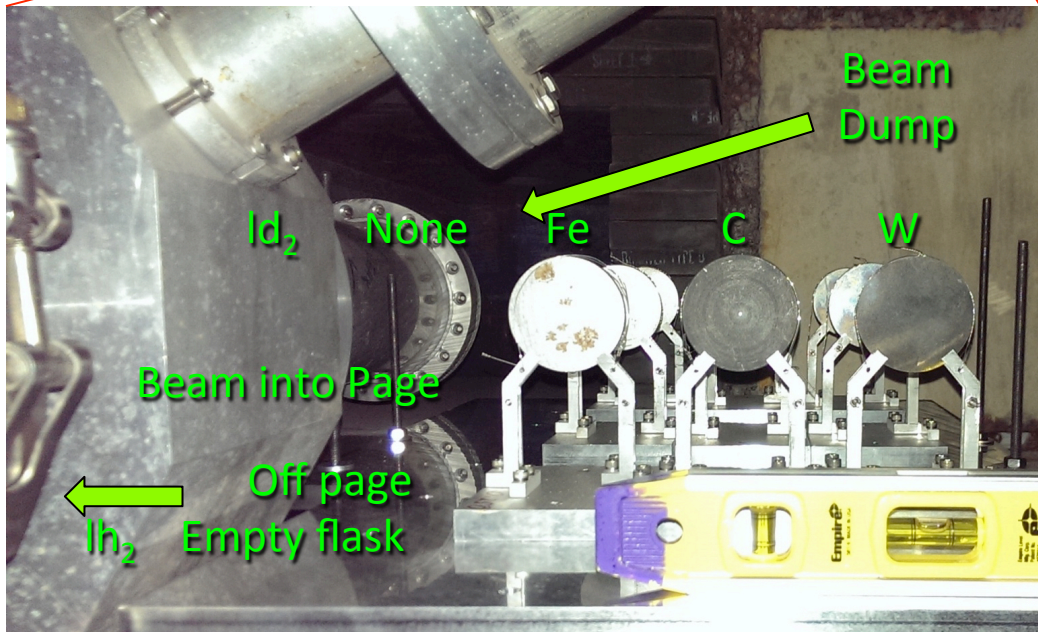
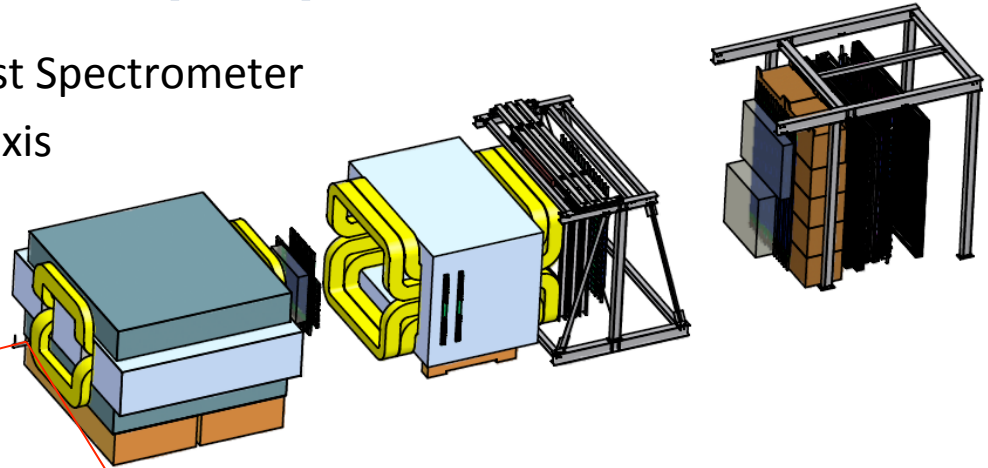
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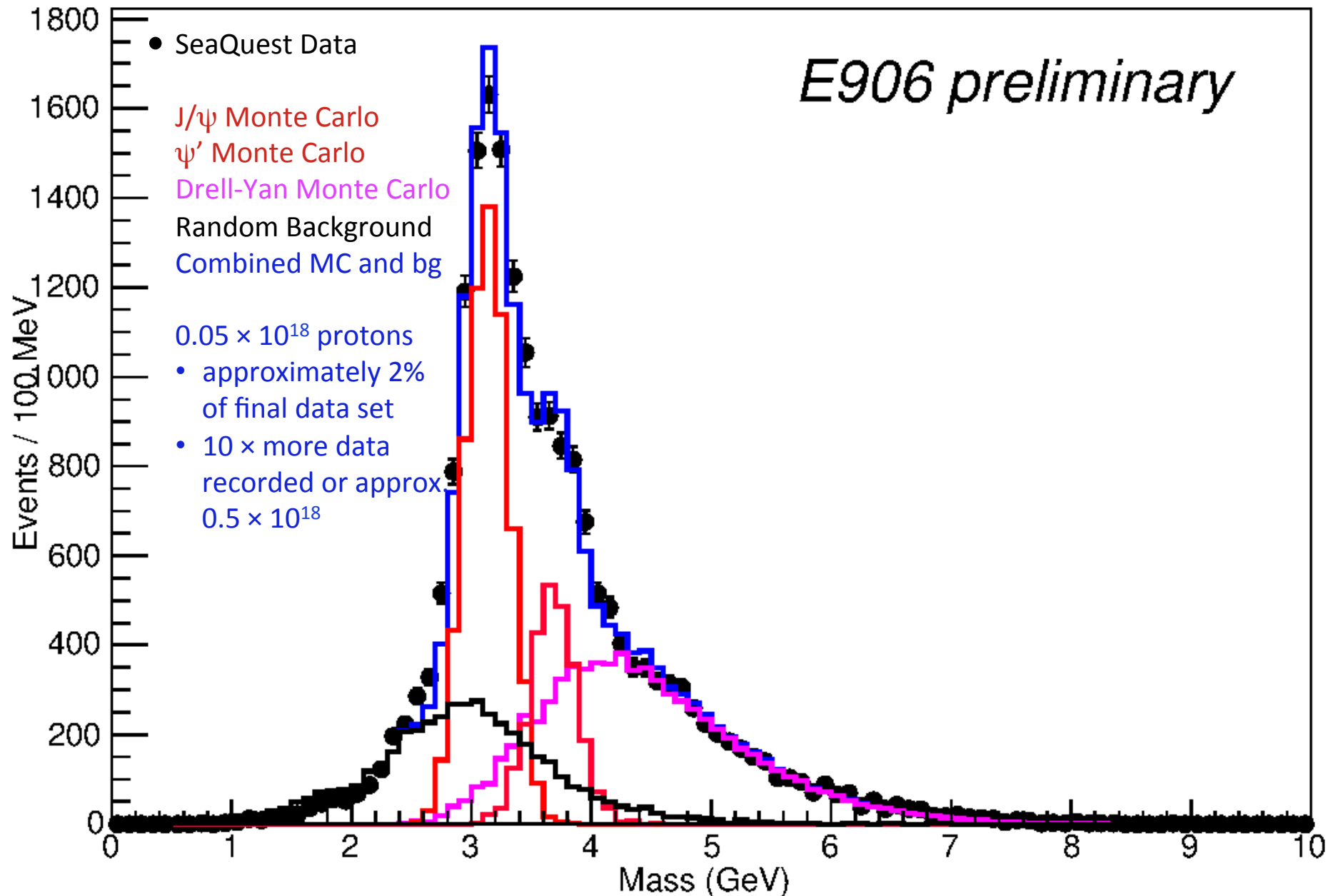


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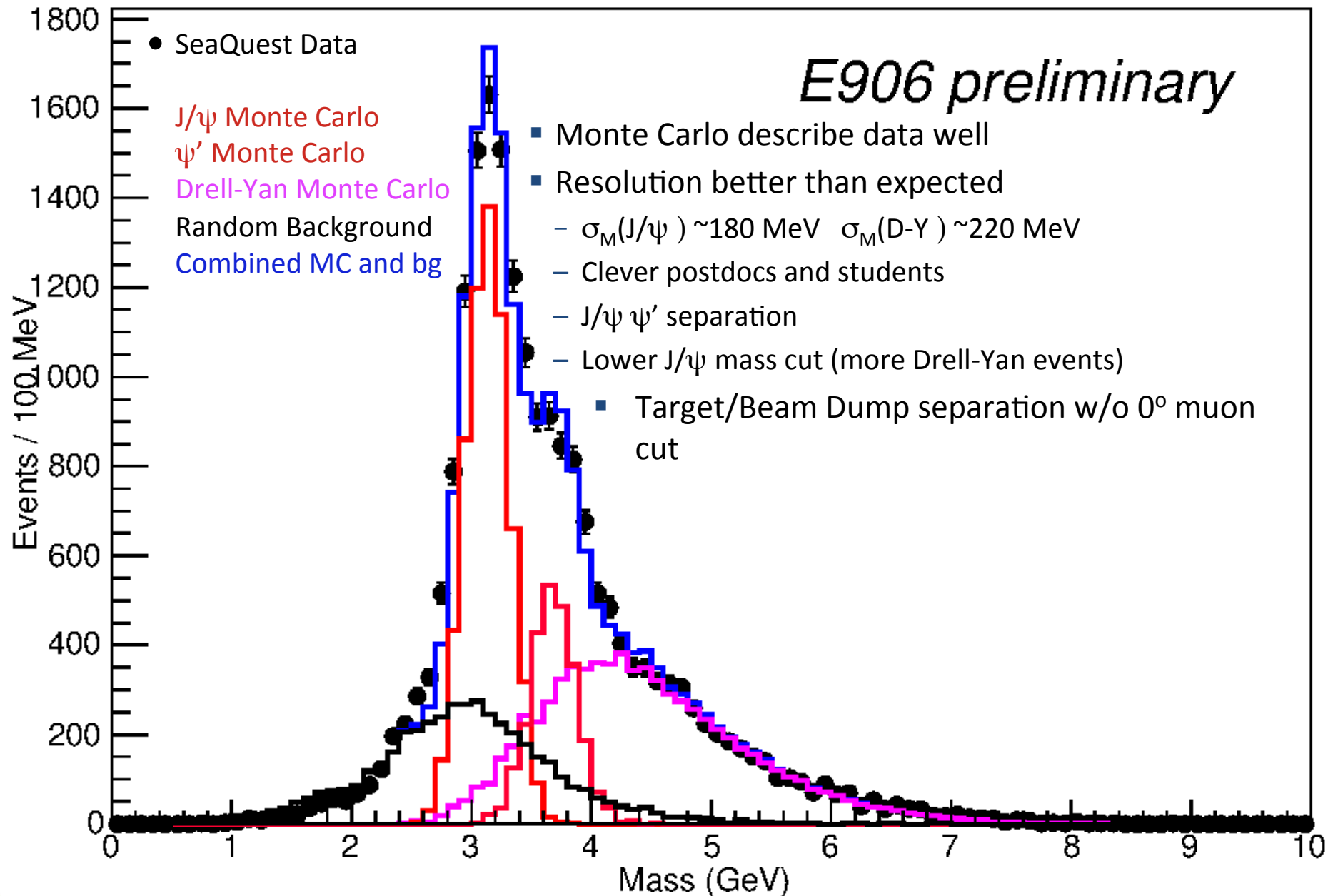
- Entire beam interacts upstream of SeaQuest Spectrometer
- Pointing resolution very poor along beam axis



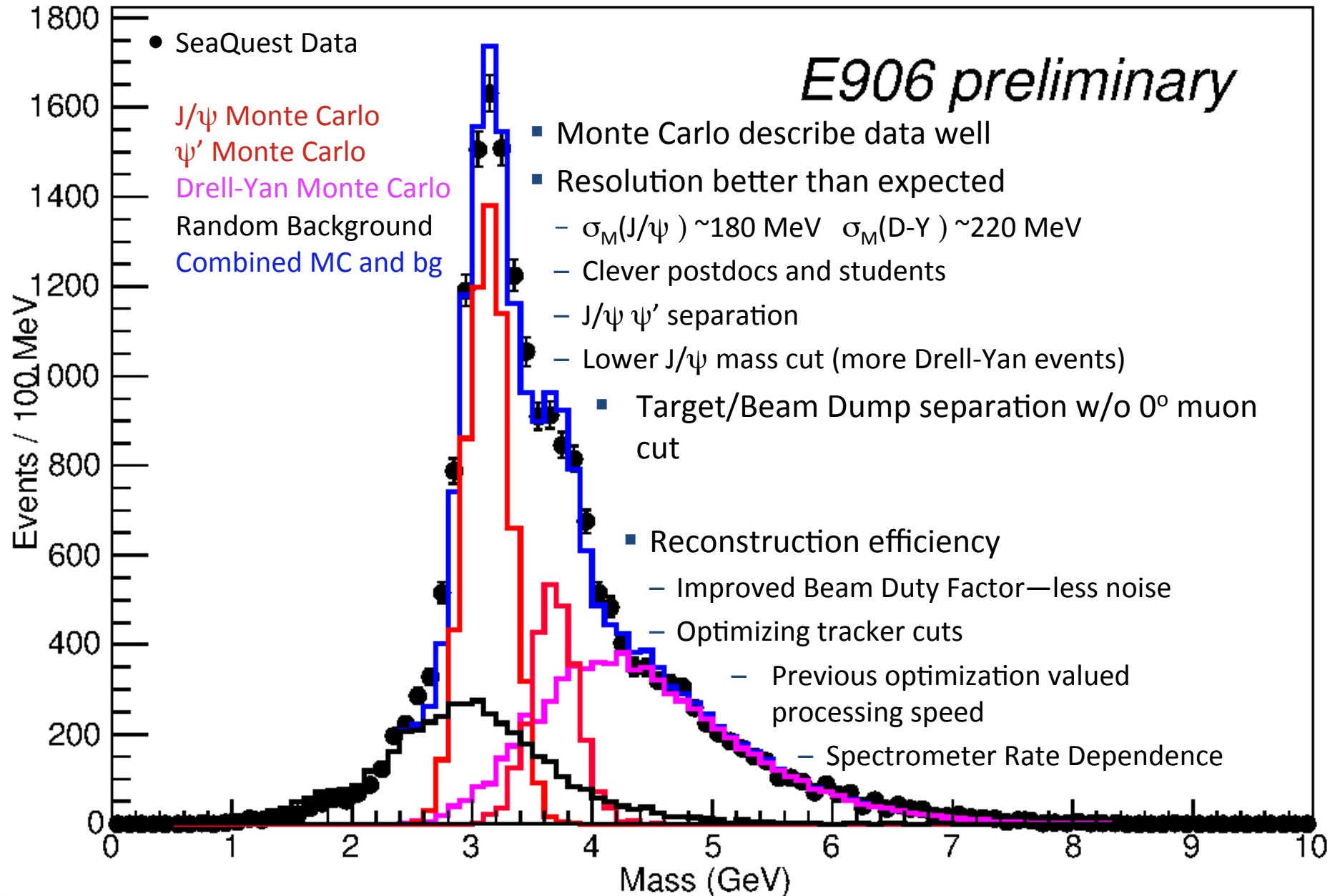
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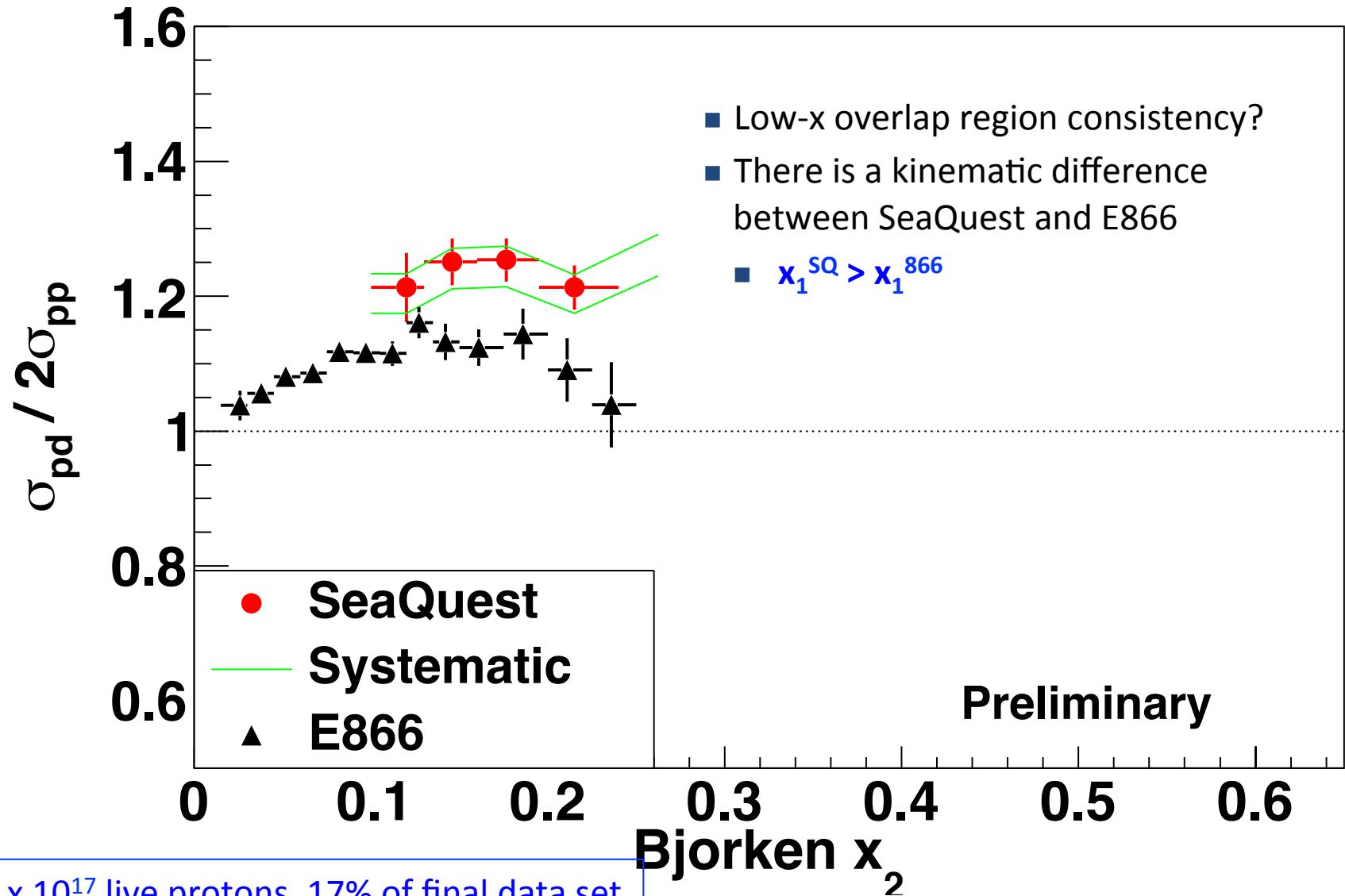
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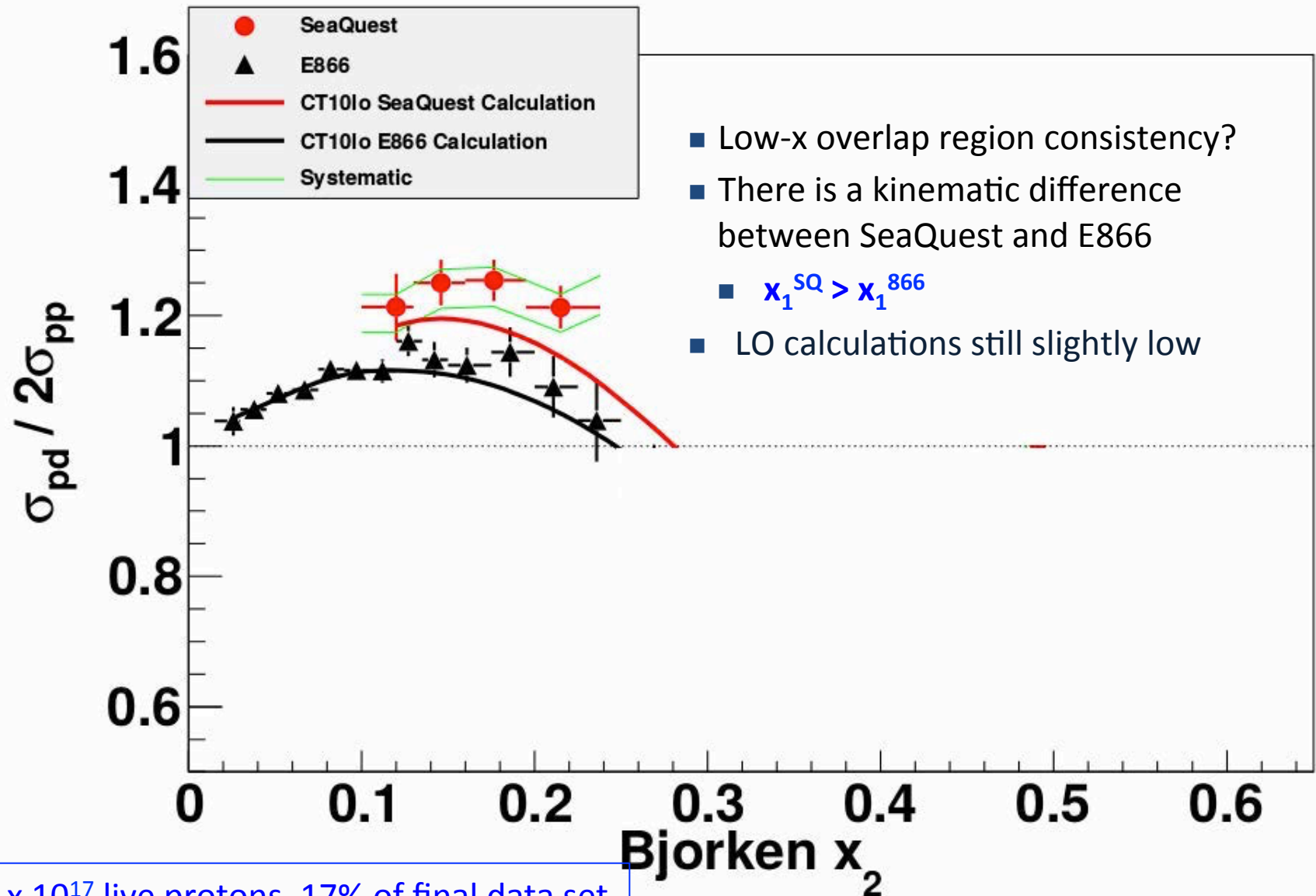
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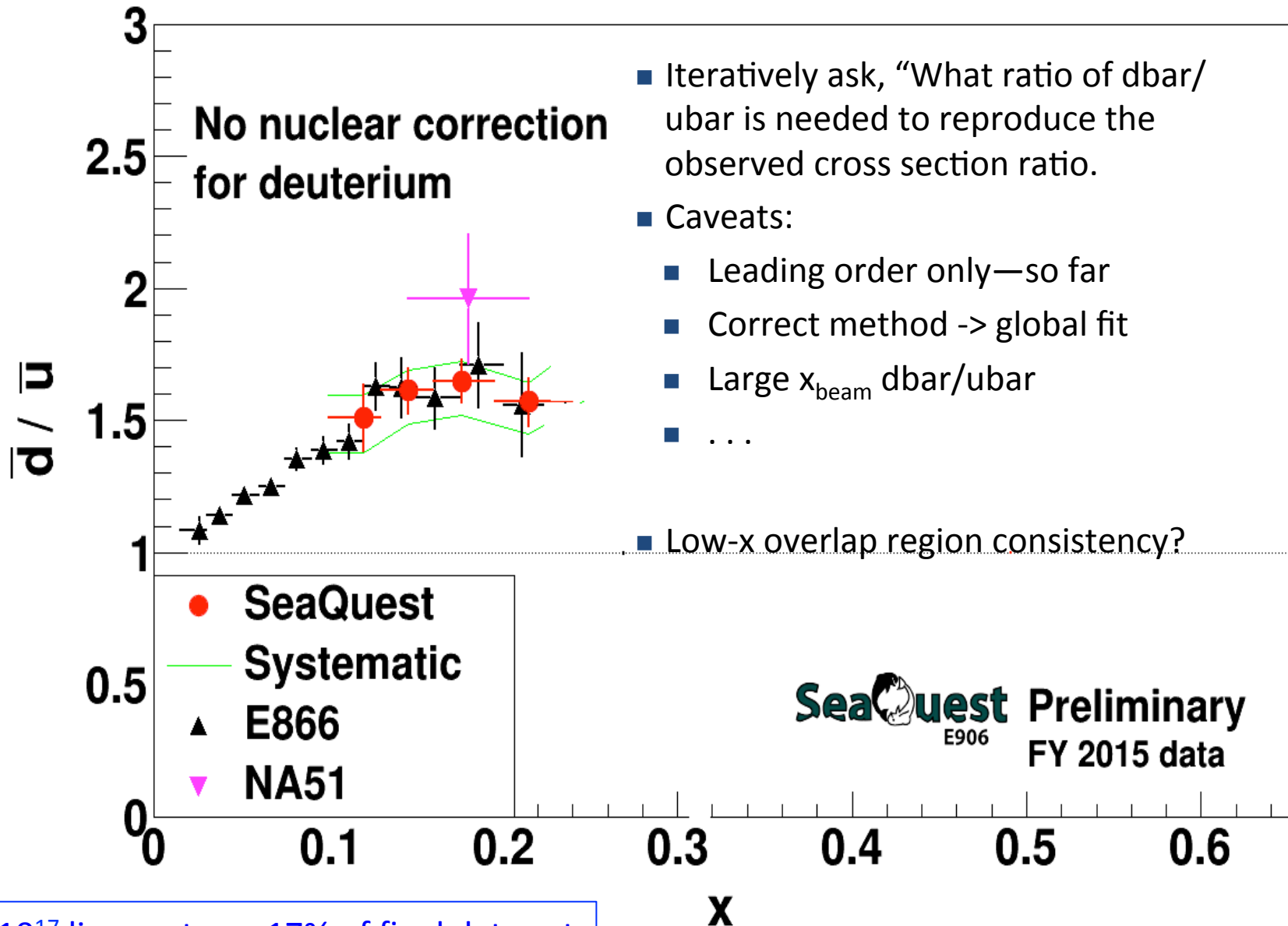
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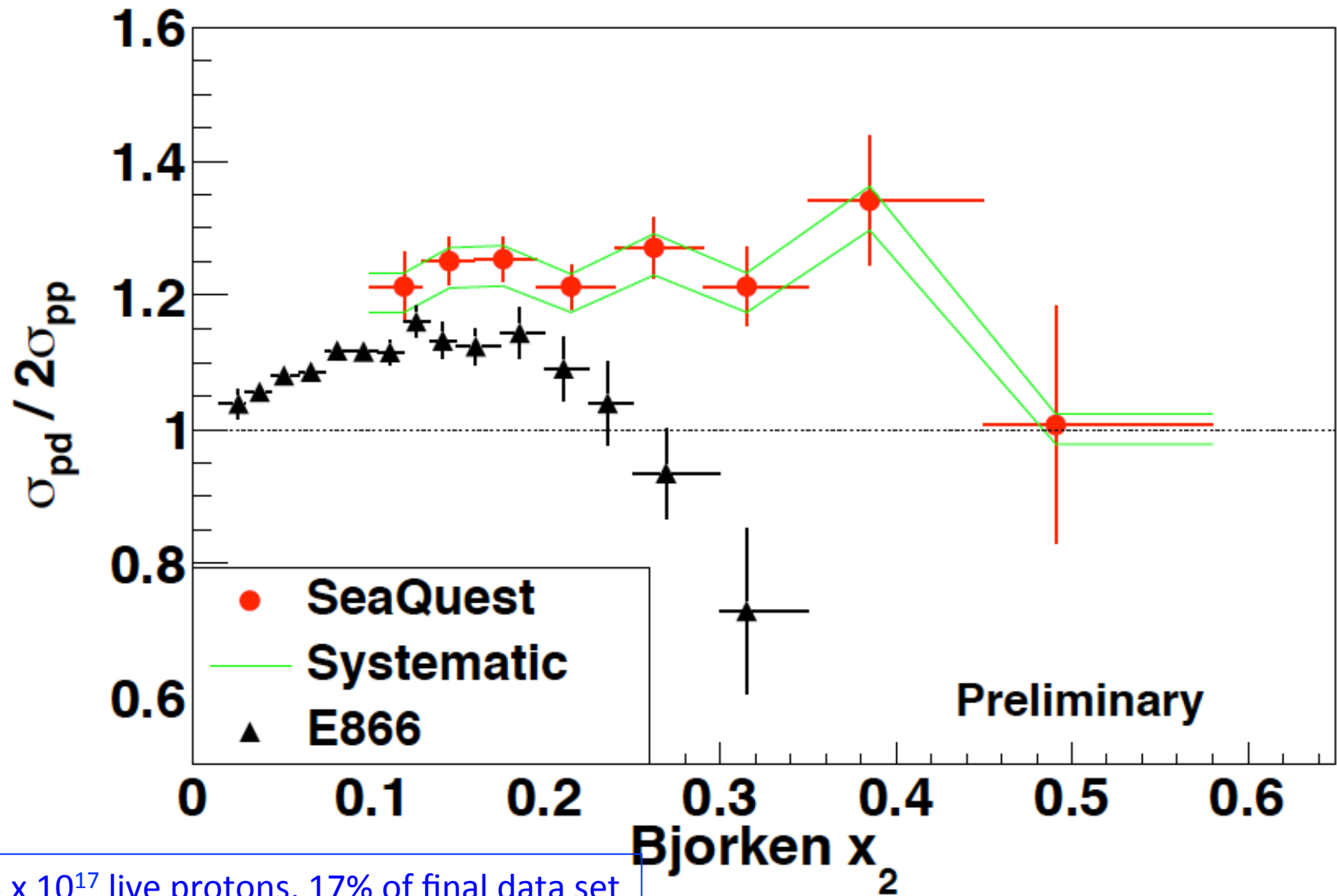


SeaQuest LO dbar/ubar extraction



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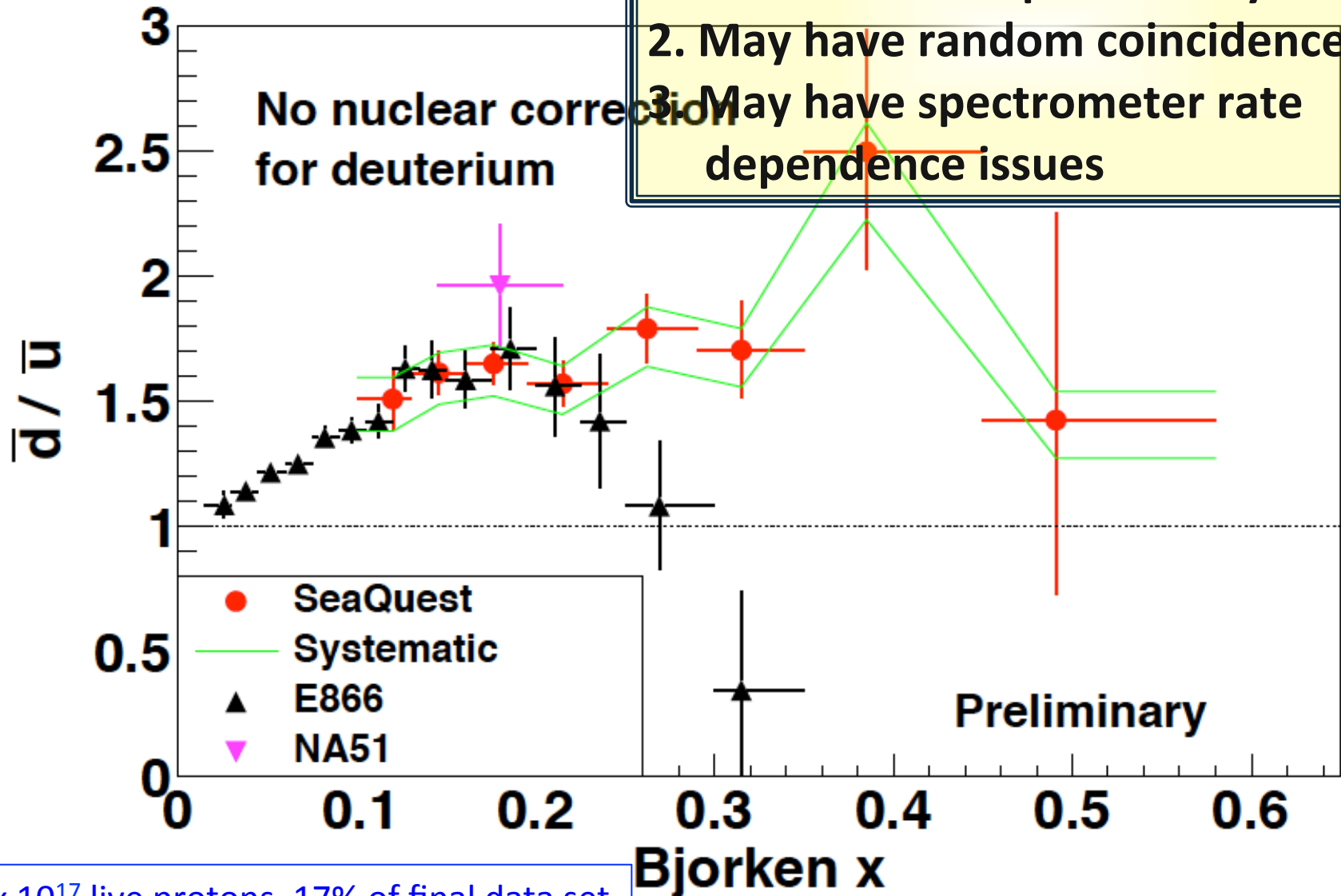


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SeaQuest Cross Section Ratio and \bar{d}/\bar{u}

Caveat emptor:

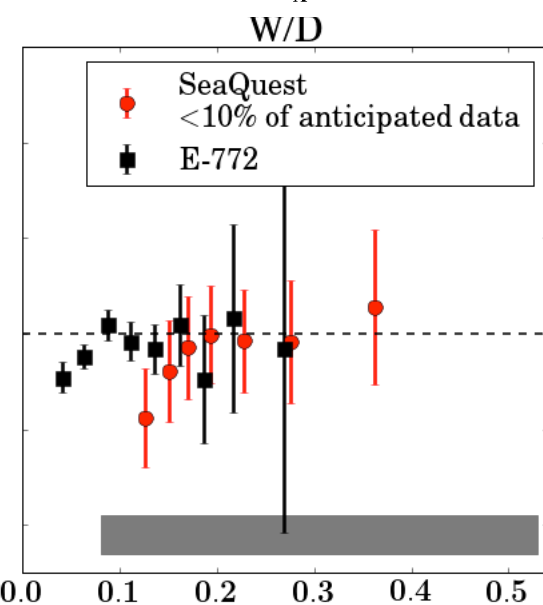
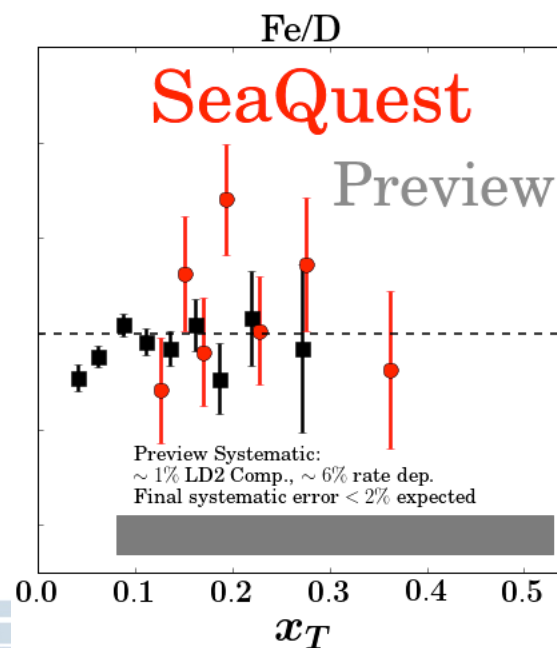
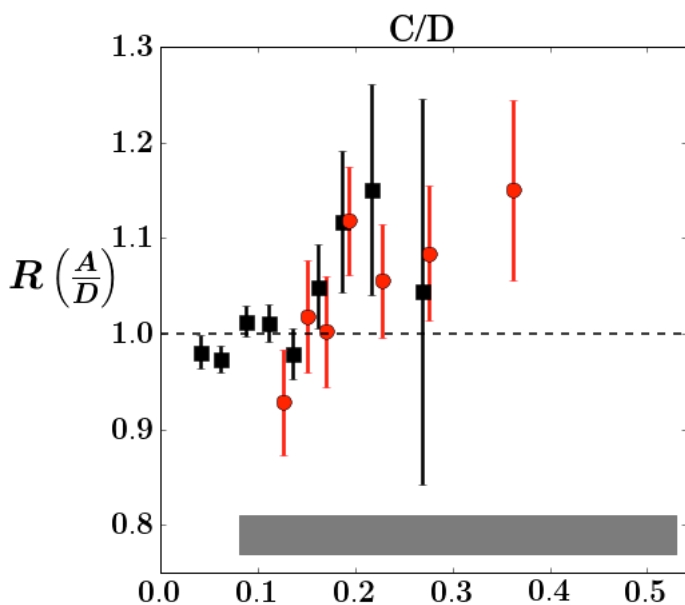
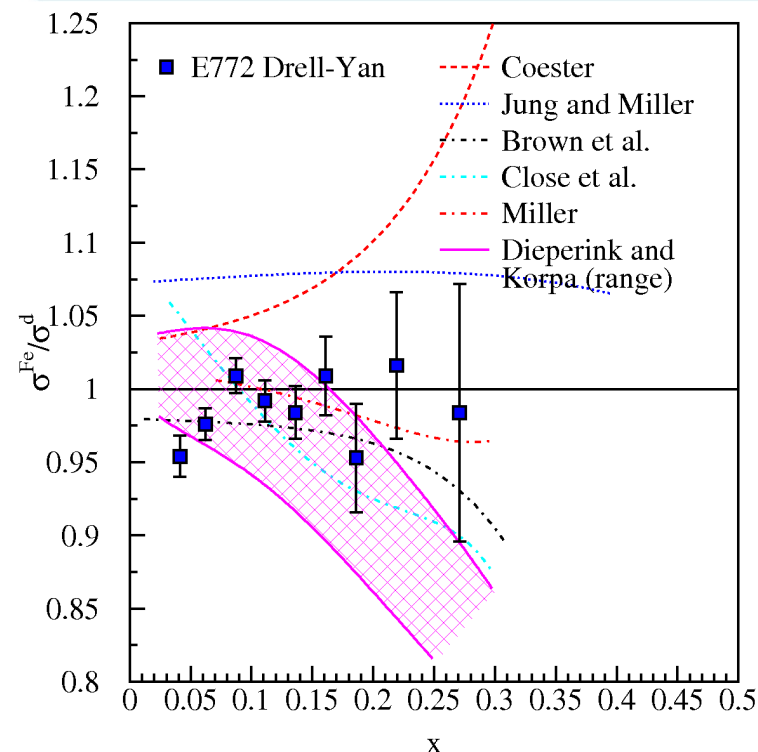
1. These data are preliminary
2. May have random coincidences
3. May have spectrometer rate dependence issues



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SeaQuest Seaquark EMC Effect

- Data Presented by Bryan Dannowitz April 2015 APS
- No antiquark enhancement apparent.
- 10% of anticipated statistical precision
- Increased detector acceptance at large- x to come.

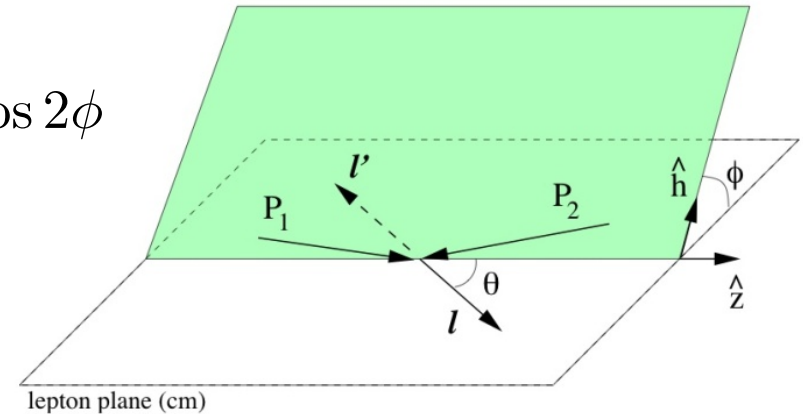


Now add Spin

- Dynamics make things messy
- ... Or more interesting?

Leading order Single Spin Drell-Yan Cross Section

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma^{\text{LO}}}{d^4q d\Omega} = & \frac{\alpha^2}{Fq^2} \hat{\sigma}_U^{\text{LO}} \left[1 + D_{\sin^2 \theta}^{\text{LO}} A_U^{\cos 2\phi} \cos 2\phi \right. \\ & + S_L D_{\sin^2 \theta}^{\text{LO}} A_L^{\sin 2\phi} \sin 2\phi \\ & + \left| \vec{S}_T \right| A_T^{\sin \phi_S} \sin \phi_S \\ & + \left| \vec{S}_T \right| D_{\sin^2 \theta}^{\text{LO}} A_T^{\sin(2\phi + \phi_S)} \sin(2\phi + \phi_S) \\ & \left. + \left| \vec{S}_T \right| D_{\sin^2 \theta}^{\text{LO}} A_T^{\sin(2\phi - \phi_S)} \sin(2\phi - \phi_S) \right] \end{aligned}$$



$A_U^{\cos 2\phi}$

Boer-Mulders of target hadron

$A_T^{\sin \phi_S}$

Sivers for beam nucleon

$A_T^{\sin(2\phi + \phi_S)}$

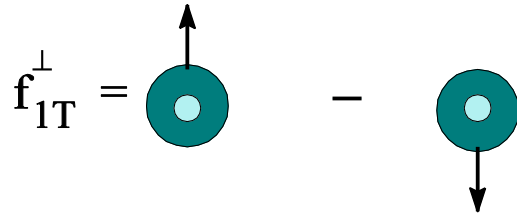
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$A_T^{\sin(2\phi - \phi_S)}$

Boer-Mulders of target and h_1 and transversity of beam
(with polarized beam and unpolarized target)

Sivers Function and the Spin Crisis

- Correlation between unpolarized quarks and a nucleon's transverse polarization



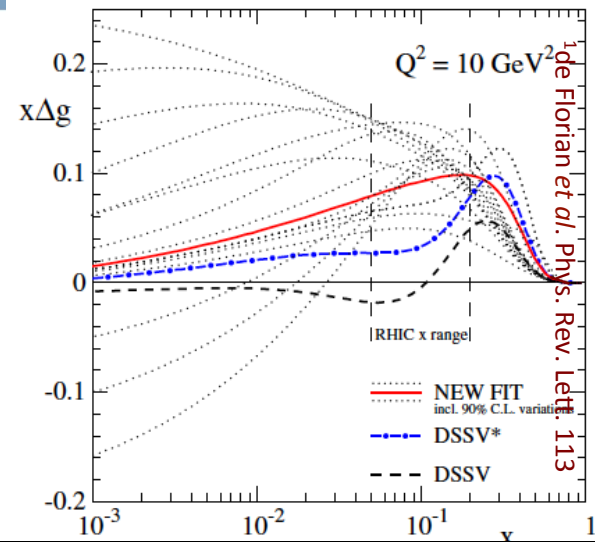
- Non-zero Sivers distribution \Rightarrow non-zero quark orbital momentum

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma + \Delta G + L$$

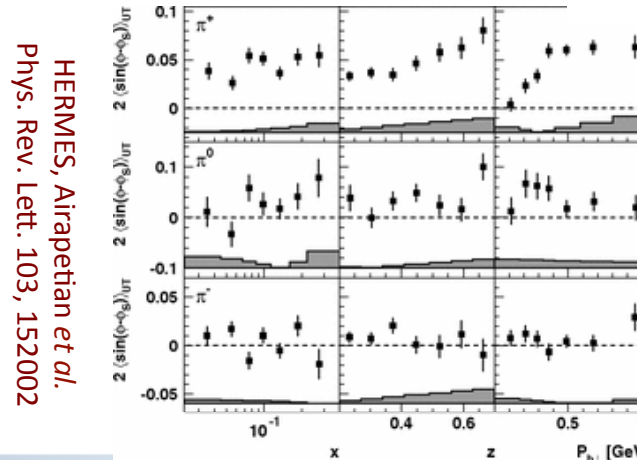
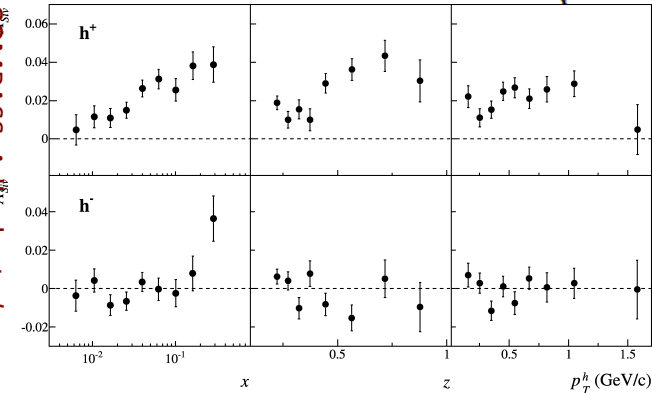
$$\Delta \Sigma = \Delta u + \Delta d + \Delta s$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma \approx 25\% \quad \Delta G \approx 0-15\%$$

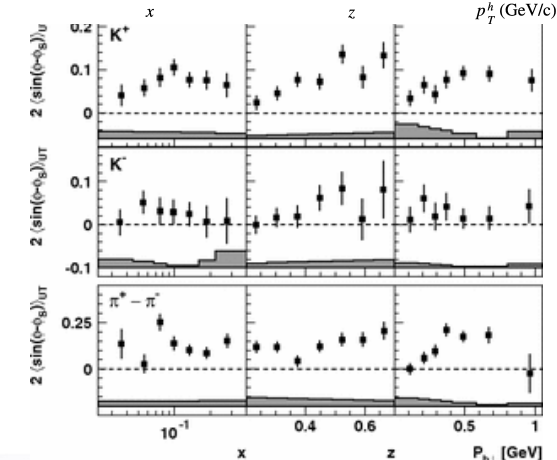
$$L \approx \text{unmeasured}$$



COMPASS, Adolph et al.
Phys. Lett. B, 717, 383



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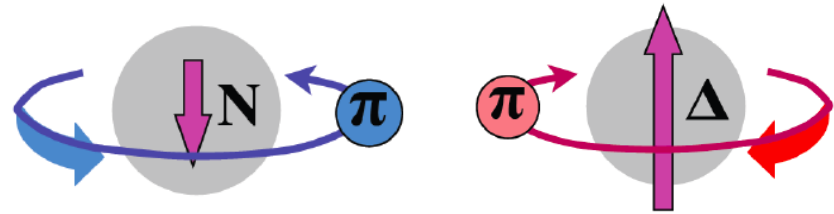


Pion Cloud and OAM

- Consider a nucleonic pion cloud
 $|p\rangle = |p_0\rangle + |N\pi\rangle + |\Delta\pi\rangle + \dots$

Pions $J^p=0^-$ Negative Parity

Need $L=1$ to get proton's $J^p=1/2^+$



Sea quarks should carry orbital angular momentum.

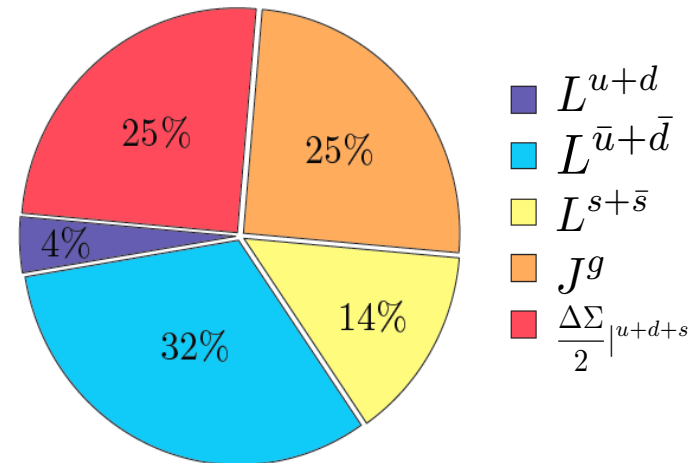
How measure quark OAM ?

- GPD: Generalized Parton Distribution
- TMD Transverse Momentum Distribution

$$A_N = \frac{N^\uparrow - N^\downarrow}{N^\uparrow + N^\downarrow} \neq 0$$

$$A_N^{DY} \propto \frac{u(x_b) \cdot f_{1T}^{\perp, \bar{u}}(x_t)}{u(x_b) \cdot \bar{u}(x_t)}$$

Lattice QCD:



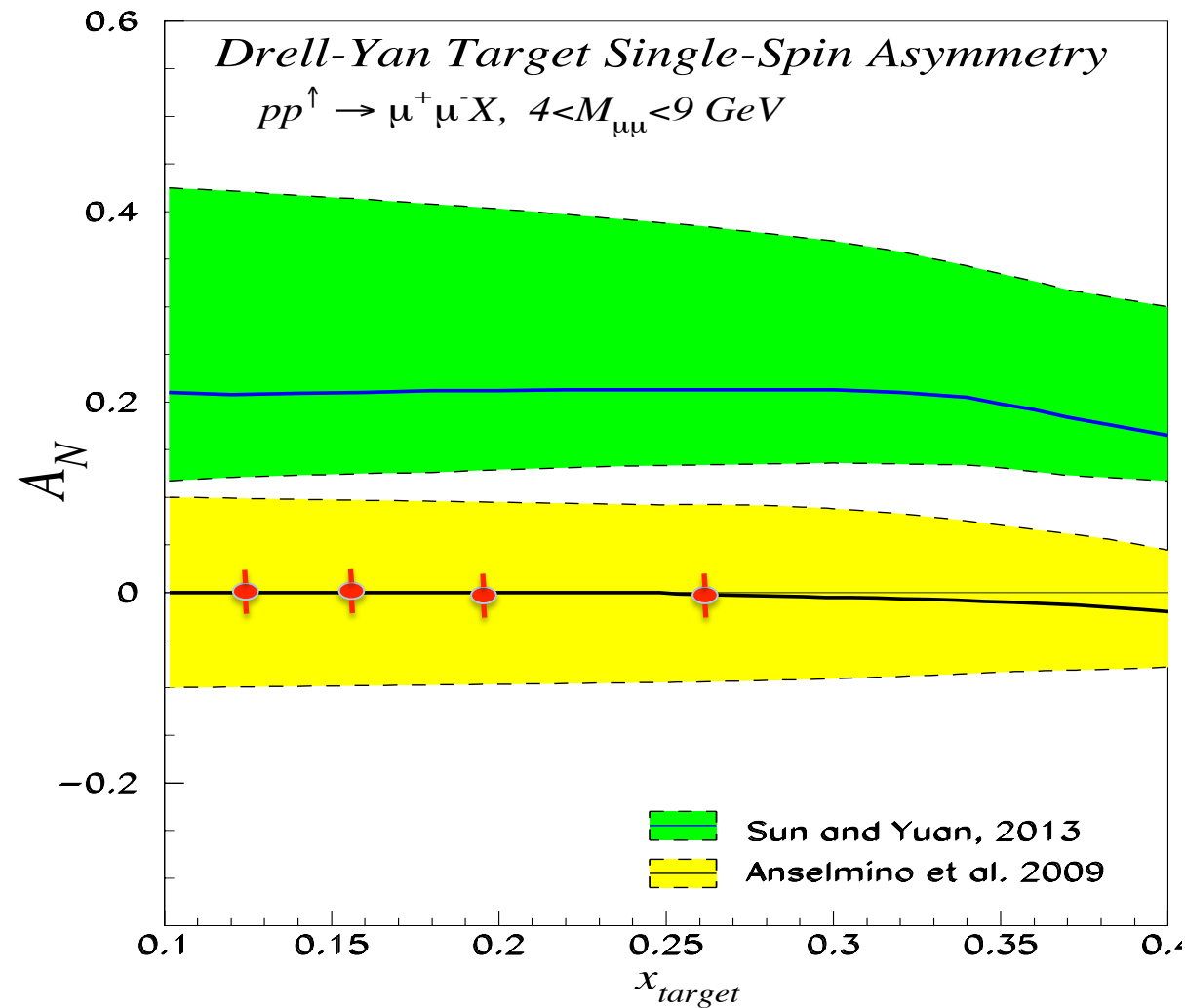
$$\Delta\Sigma_q \approx 25\%$$

$$2 L_q \approx 46\% \text{ (0\% (valence) + 46\% (sea))}$$

$$2 J_g \approx 25\%$$

K.-F. Liu *et al* arXiv:1203.6388

Projected Statistical Precision with a Polarized Target at SeaQuest



Polarized target

- Installation in Summer 2016
- Supported with Los Alamos LDRD funds

Statistics precision shown for two calendar years of running :

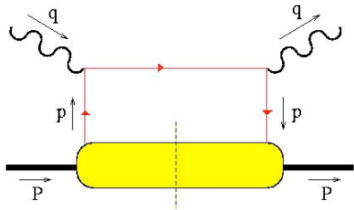
Protons on target =

$$2.7 \times 10^{18}$$

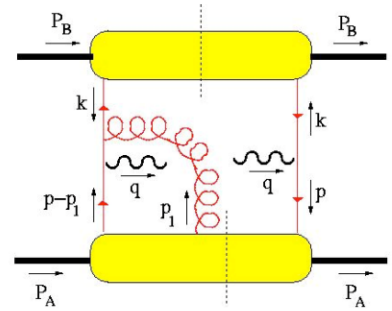
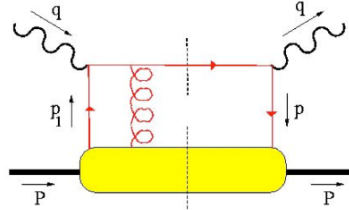
$$\mathcal{L} = 7.2 \times 10^{42} / \text{cm}^2$$

“Naïve” T-odd observables

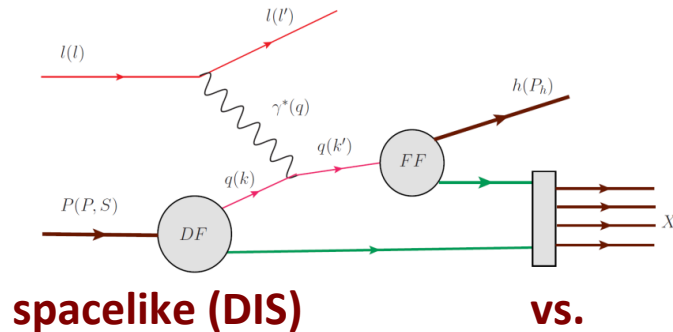
- Naïve T-odd effect ($F_{1T}^{\perp q}$) must arise from interference between spin-flip and non-flip amplitudes w/different phases



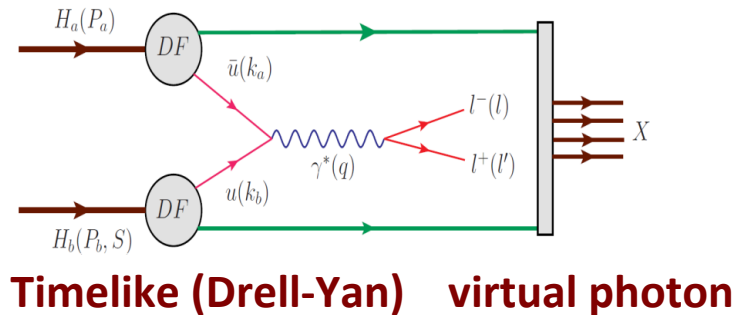
can interfere with



- soft gluons “gauge links” required for color gauge invariance
- soft gluon re-interactions are **final (or initial) state interactions ... and may be process dependent!**



vs.

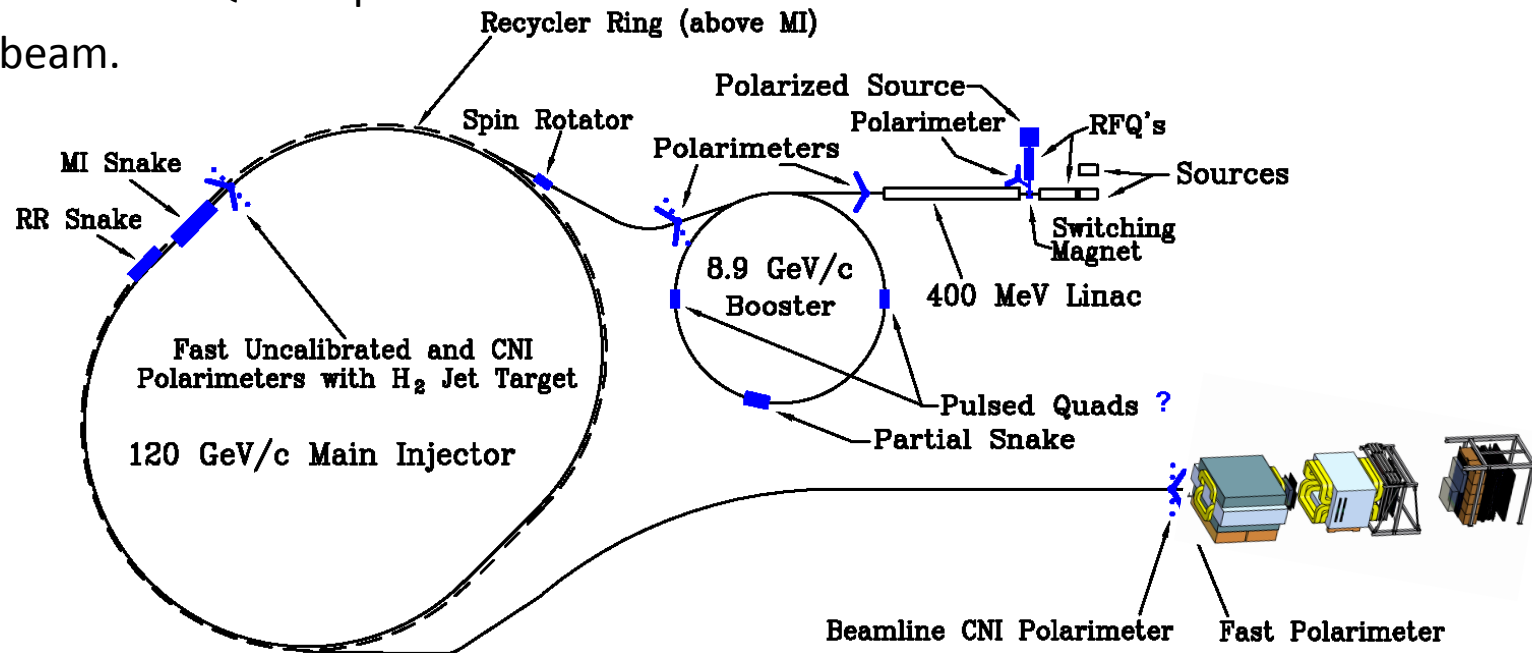


$$f_{1T}^{\perp} \Big|_{\text{SIDIS}} = - f_{1T}^{\perp} \Big|_{\text{DY}}$$

Polarized Beam Drell-Yan at Fermilab

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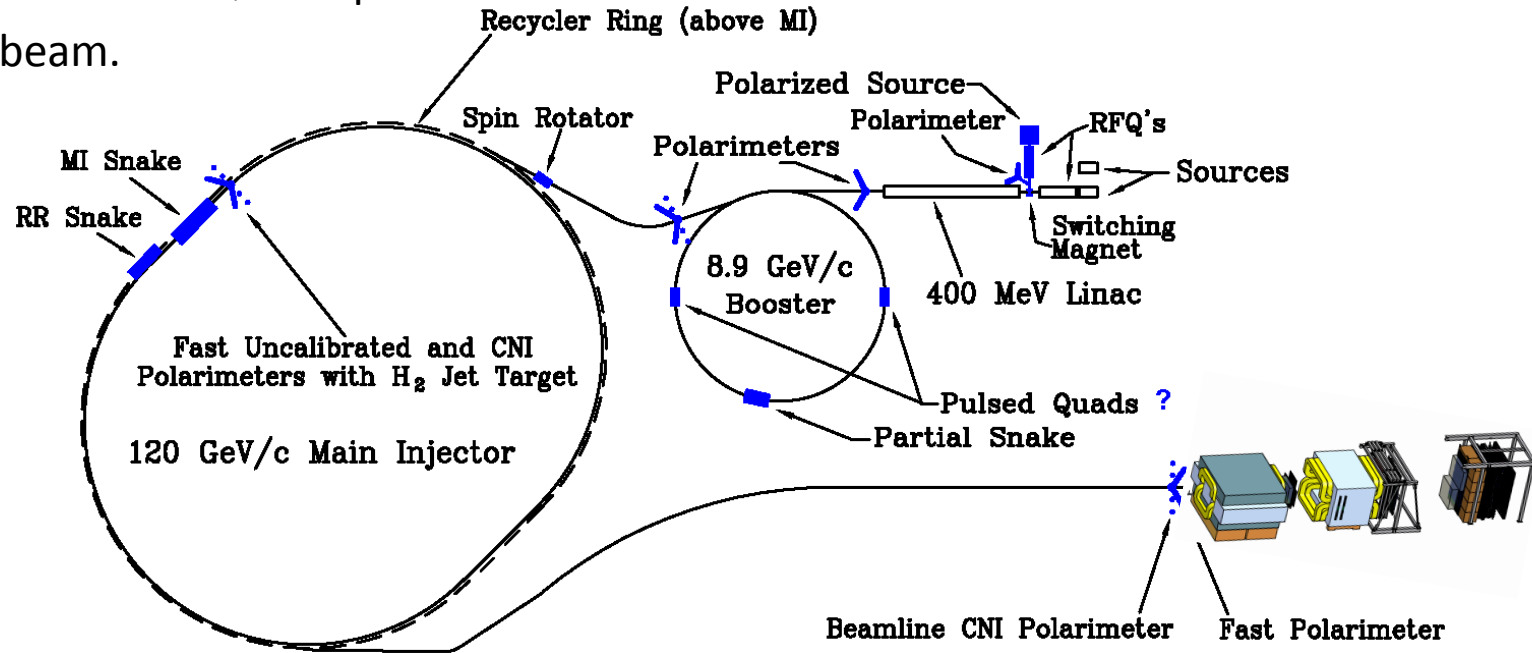
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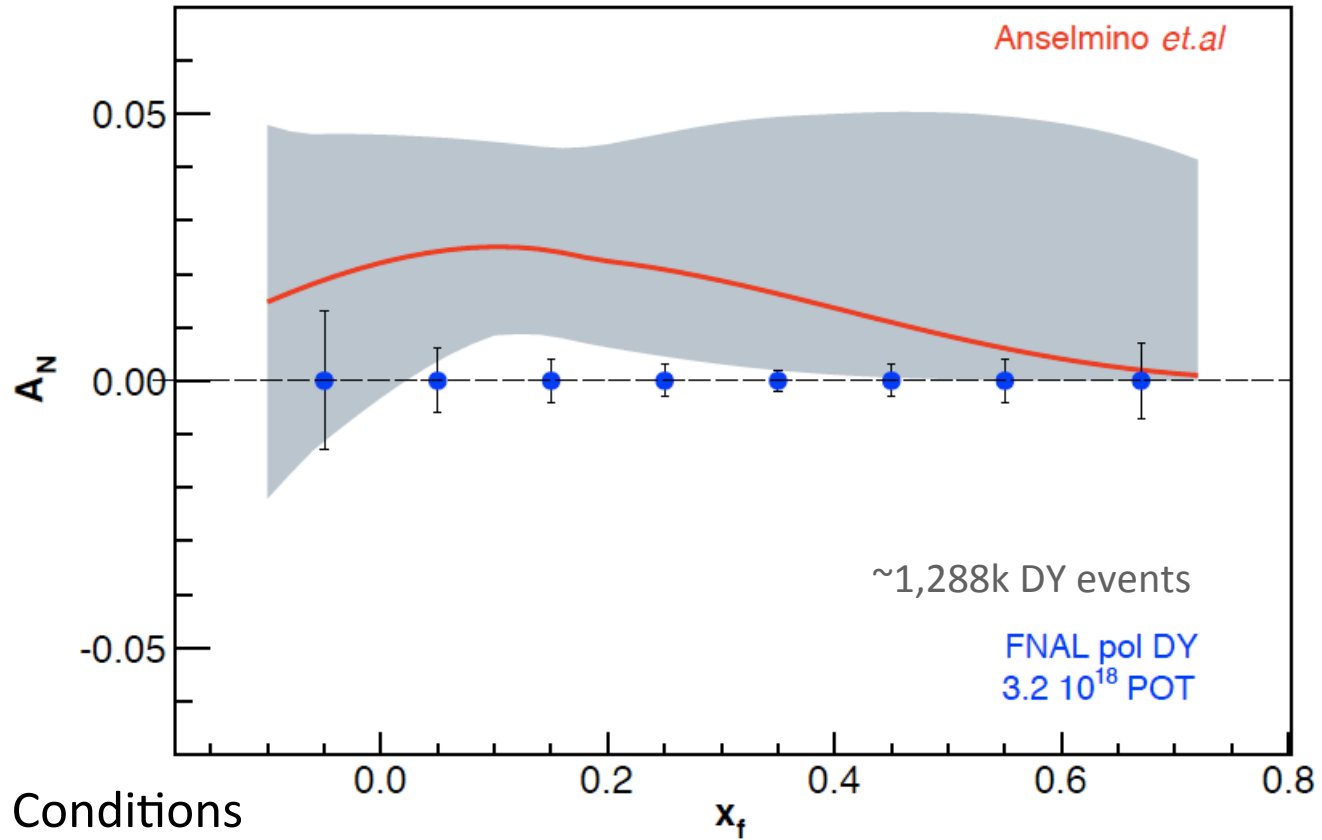
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- **Cost Est.: \$6M + \$4M Contingency & Management = \$10M (in 2013)**

Expected Precision from E-1027 at Fermilab



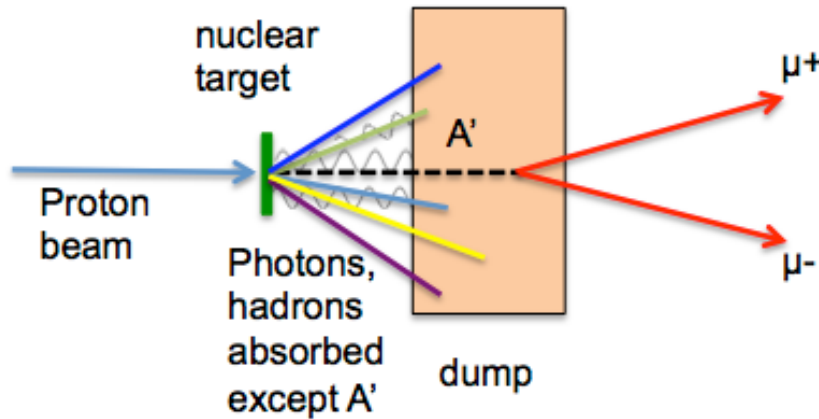
Experimental Conditions

- Same as SeaQuest
- luminosity: $L_{av} = 2 \times 10^{35}$ (10% of available beam time: $I_{av} = 15$ nA)
- 3.2×10^{18} total protons for 5×10^5 min: (= 2 yrs at 50% efficiency) with $P_b = 70\%$

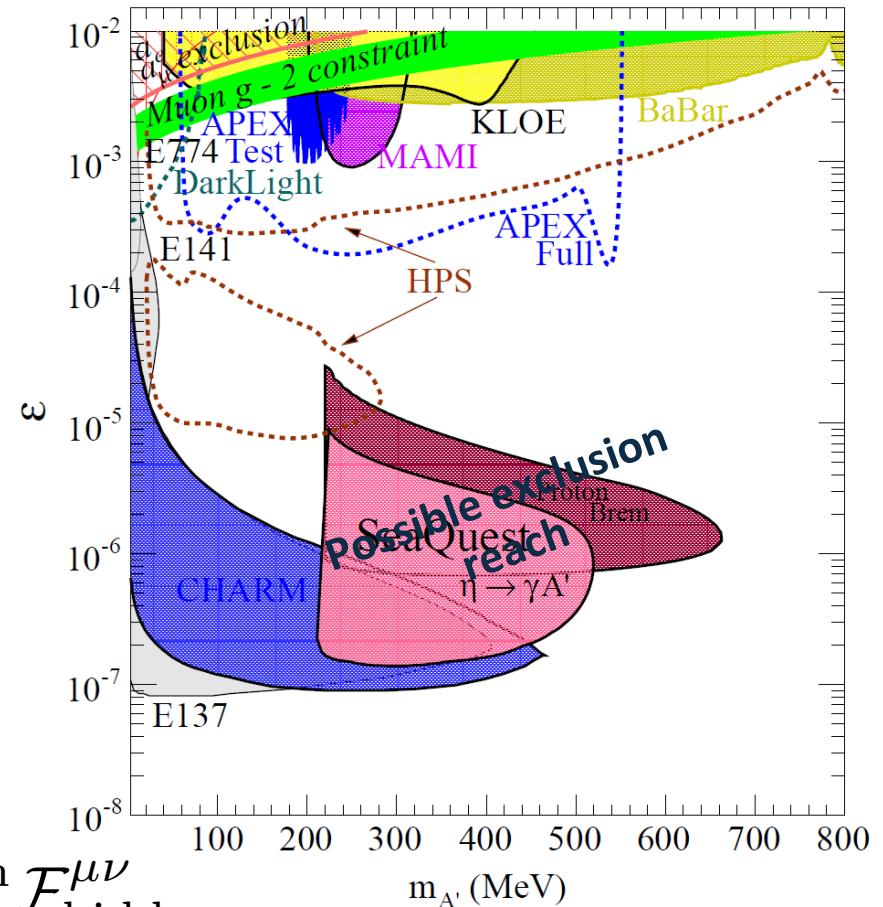
Can measure not only sign, but also the size & maybe shape of the Siverts function!

Search for Dark Photons at SeaQuest

- Classic Beam Dump Experiment



- Minimal impact on Drell-Yan program



$$\mathcal{L} \propto -\frac{1}{4} \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^{\text{SM}} \mathcal{F}_{\text{SM}}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^{\text{hidden}} \mathcal{F}_{\text{hidden}}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} \epsilon \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^{\text{SM}} \mathcal{F}_{\text{hidden}}^{\mu\nu} + m_{A'}^2 A_{\mu}^{\text{hidden}} A_{\text{hidden}}^{\mu}$$

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Argonne National Laboratory
Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory
Institute of Physics, Academia Sinica
KEK
Ling-Tung University
Los Alamos National Laboratory
University of Maryland
University of Michigan
University of New Hampshire
National Kaohsiung Normal University
RIKEN
Rutgers University
Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility
Tokyo Tech
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Polarized Beam:

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Argonne National Laboratory
University of Basque Country
University of Colorado
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Dear Paul,

your talk at CTEQ-POETIC meeting is scheduled on Friday, 11am EST, for 35+5 minutes.
[It's a little shorter than I originally hoped, but the time limits are not strict, if you need a bit of extra time.]

See you at the meeting next week!

Best regards,

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Drell-Yan Physics Program

Sea Quarks of the Target

- $d\bar{b}/u\bar{b}$
- Sea quark EMC effect

Not discussed:

- Quark sea absolute magnitude
- Partonic Energy Loss
- J/ψ Nuclear Dependence
- Dark Photons?

Transverse Spin Physics

- Sivers and OAM of Sea Quarks
- Sivers and QCD on Valence Quarks (COMPASS and SeaQuest)

